

Highway Patrol

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2 Vehicle Fatality Crash on Highway 46 in LaMoure County

What: Fatal Crash

Where: Highway 46, 6 miles south of Montpelier

When: 5/6/19 at 6:30 PM

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: Vehicle / Vehicle

Type of Crash: Rear end

Agencies Involved: LaMoure County SO, Edgely and LaMoure Ambulances

Vehicle No. 1:		2006 Dodge Ram 2500
Driver No. 1:		Damon Smith, Litchville, ND Injured
Restraints:	no seatbelt	
Charges:	No charges filed	

Vehicle No. 2:1983 AMC JeepDriver No. 2:80 year old male, Montpelier, ND FatalRestraints:no seatbelt

NARRATIVE: The 1983 Jeep driven by the 80 year old male was eastbound on Highway 46. The 2006 Dodge Ram 2500, driven by Damon Smith was also eastbound on Highway 46, behind the Jeep. The 2006 Dodge Ram struck the back of the Jeep. Both vehicles entered the south ditch. The Jeep rolled over and the 80 year old male was ejected. He was pronounced dead on the scene. Damon Smith was transported to JRMC for injuries and was released. The crash is still under investigation.

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