

NEWS RELEASE | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | August 4, 2024

Updated: McKenzie County Fatal Crash

What: Fatality

Where: ND Highway 23 MM 30 approximately 20 miles west of New Town, ND

When: 08/04/2024 at approximately 1205am CST

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Dark, Not Lighted

Crash Involvement: Single Vehicle

Type of Crash: Rollover

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, McKenzie County Sheriff's Office, Three Affiliated Tribes Police, Keene Rural Fire Department, and McKenzie County Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 1998 Honda VF2 Motorcycle

Driver No. 1: Matthew Lone Fight, Male, 55 YOA, Watford City, ND, Fatal Injuries

Restraints: Helmet in Use

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: The 1998 Honda motorcycle was westbound on Highway 23 when the driver lost control of the motorcycle. The driver was ejected from the motorcycle and was pronounced deceased on scene. Name will be released pending next of kin notification. The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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