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## Fatal Motorcycle Crash

What: Fatal
Where: 3700 block $55^{\text {th }}$ Ave S, Fargo ND
When: June 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}, 2024,8: 28$ PM Central
Road Conditions: Good, dry
Weather Conditions: Partly cloudy
Crash Involvement: Motorcycle
Type of Crash: Fixed Object
Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Fargo Fire, Fargo PD, Sanford Ambulance
Vehicle No. 1: 2020 KTM Juke 390 motorcycle
Driver No. 1: Male, 19, Wahpeton, Fatal Injuries
Restraints: Helmet in Use
Charges: None
Vehicle No. 2: 2002 Yamaha V-Star
Driver No. 1: Male, 19, Wahpeton, Non-Life-Threatening Injuries
Restraints: Helmet in Use
Charges: None

NARRATIVE: The male driver was operating the KTM motorcycle east bound on $55^{\text {th }}$ Ave S from $38^{\text {th }}$ St S. The driver lost control of the motorcycle and struck the south curb. The driver was ejected and struck a light pole. The driver was transported to Essentia Health. The driver sustained fatal injuries from the crash. A 2002 Yamaha motorcycle was following the 2020 KTM. The driver of the Yamaha took evasive action to avoid the first crash and overturned his motorcycle. The driver of the Yamaha sustained non-life-threatening injuries and was

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transported to Essentia Health. These were two separate crashes, and they remain under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol

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