# NEWS RELEASE | FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE | December 6, 2020 <br> Pursuit Crossing into Minnesota Ends in Injury Crash 

NARRATIVE: On Dec. 5, 2020 around 9:49 pm, an NDHP trooper was sitting stationary on I94 near the University Ave exit. A 2004 Honda Civic drove by the trooper exceeding the posted 55 mph speed limit. The trooper pulled onto the roadway and attempted to catch up to the vehicle and the Honda increased its rate of speed. The trooper activated emergency lights initiating a pursuit. The trooper was traveling as fast as 120 mph with the Honda pulling away. The Honda traveled into Minnesota and out of view. The Honda lost control just east of Exit 1 B and entered the median striking the cables. The two occupants of the Honda were ejected at the time of the crash. Several NDHP troopers responded to assist. The male passenger was located in the median and the female driver was located on the westbound side of 194. Red River Ambulance and Minnesota State Patrol responded to the scene.

The female, 43, and male, 34, both of Fargo, were transported to Sanford West in Fargo to be treated for injuries sustained in the crash. No names are being released at this time. Charges are pending.

The incident remains under investigation by the Minnesota Highway Patrol.

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