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McKenzie County Fatal Crash

What: Fatal Crash

Where: Hwy 85 mm154 (4 miles W of Arnegard, ND)

When: October 20, 2020 at approximately 0725hrs CST

Road Conditions: Ice/Wet

Weather Conditions: Snowing

Crash Involvement: Multiple Vehicles

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol and McKenzie County Sheriff's Office.

Vehicle No. 1:	2014 Dodge Ram
Driver No. 1:	Male, 38, Watford City, ND; Injured.
Restraints:	Seat Belt worn
Charges:	under investigation
Vehicle No. 2:	2006 Toyota Tacoma
Driver No. 2:	Male, 27, Watford City, ND; Fatal.
Restraints:	Not restrained
Charges:	none
Passenger No. 1:	Male, 29, Las Vegas, NV; Fatal.
Restraints:	Not restrained
Vehicle No. 3:	2019 Ford F-550
Driver No. 3:	Male, 42, Arnegard, ND; Not injured.
Restraints:	Seat Belt worn
Charges:	under investigation
Passenger No. 1:	Male, 20, Arnegard, ND; Not injured.
Restraints:	Seat Belt worn
Passenger No. 2:	Male, 43, Arnegard, ND; Not injured.
Restraints:	Seat Belt worn

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NARRATIVE: It is believed that the Dodge Ram was traveling northbound on Highway 85 near mm154 when it passed the Ford F-550 which was pulling a gooseneck trailer. The Dodge changed lanes and continued northbound in front of the Ford. The Toyota Tacoma was traveling southbound when the driver lost control of the vehicle. The Tacoma entered the northbound lanes and was struck by the Dodge. The Ford then struck the Dodge. The two occupants in the Tacoma suffered fatal injuries resulting from the crash. The driver of the Dodge was transported to the hospital for potential injuries.

Names of those involved are currently being withheld pending family notifications. The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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