

**NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | September 25, 2023

## **Cass County Serious Injury Crash**

**What:** Injury

**Where:** Interstate 94-mile marker 345 (West Fargo)

**When:** 09/24/2023 at 11:46 P.M. central time

**Road Conditions:** Good

**Weather Conditions:** Overcast

**Crash Involvement:** 4 vehicle crash

**Type of Crash:** Rear end, right angle

**Agencies Involved:** North Dakota Highway Patrol, Cass County Sheriff's Department, West Fargo Police Department, West Fargo Fire Department, and Metro Ambulance.

**Vehicle No. 1:** 1997 Honda Passport

**Driver No. 1:** 34-year-old male, Jamestown, ND, serious injury

**Restraints:** Unknown

**Charges:** Driving under the influence (DUI)

**Vehicle No. 2:** 2014 Subaru Legacy

**Driver No. 2:** 63-year-old female, Amenia, ND, minor injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use

**Charges:** Under investigation

**Vehicle No. 3:** 2020 Honda HR-V

**Driver No. 3:** 63-year-old male, New Brighton, MN, minor injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use

**Charges:** Under investigation

**Vehicle No. 4:** 2015 GMC Acadia

**Driver No. 4:** 45-year-old female, Alice, ND, minor injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use

**Charges:** Under investigation

**NARRATIVE:**

A Honda HR-V was traveling westbound on Interstate 94 near mile marker 345. A Honda Passport was traveling westbound and rearended the Honda HR-V. Both vehicles became stuck on impact and traveled westbound in the westbound lane of I-94. The vehicles then separated causing the HR-V to travel into the median area. The Honda Passport then became disabled in the westbound lane. A Subaru Legacy then rearended the Honda Passport. This caused the Subaru Legacy and Honda Passport to become disabled in the westbound lane and westbound shoulder. A GMC Acadia traveling westbound strikes the Subaru in the front passenger door area. The GMC Acadia then travels into the ditch. The drivers of the Honda Passport, HR-V, and Subaru were all transported by ambulance to Sanford Hospital to be treated for injuries sustained in the crash. The male driver of the Honda Passport was cited for driving under the influence. The crash is under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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