

**NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | February 20, 2024

### **NDHP Pursuit**

**What:** Pursuit of wrong way driver and forced vehicle stop

**Where:** Interstate 29 mile marker 90, 2 miles south of Grandin

**When:** February 19, 2024 11:10 PM

**Road Conditions:** Good

**Weather Conditions:** Clear

**Agencies Involved:** NDHP, Cass County Sheriff's Department

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2006 Ford Freestar

**Driver No. 1:** Trevor Christensen, 30 yoa, male, Dilworth MN, not injured

**Charges:** DUI, DUR, Reckless Endangerment, Fleeing

**NARRATIVE:** On Monday night just after 11:00 PM the NDHP responded to numerous calls of a wrong-way driver traveling southbound in the northbound lanes on Interstate 29. The wrong-way driver was originally reported in Traill County and continued into Cass County where the Cass County Sheriff's Department and NDHP attempted to stop it utilizing emergency lights and siren. A short pursuit ensued at approximately 60 miles per hour before the NDHP utilized a successful pursuit intervention technique (PIT) to stop the fleeing vehicle. The fleeing vehicle was forced to a stop in the east ditch and the driver was taken into custody without further incident. No injuries resulted in the incident.

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