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CASS COUNTY CRASH – PUBLIC ASSISTANCE REQUESTED

NARRATIVE: On April 26, 2026, at approximately 10:30 p.m., the North Dakota State Patrol responded to a report of a crash at the intersection of Highway 46 and 157th Ave SE. A Ford Escape traveling southbound on 157th Ave SE failed to stop at a posted stop sign, crossed Highway 46, and entered a field after crashing through a barbed wire fence.

The driver re-entered the vehicle, drove through the field, and fled the area southbound on 155th Ave SE. The vehicle was described by a witness as a white Ford Escape with front-end damage.

Law enforcement responded to the area and attempted to locate the vehicle but were unsuccessful. Evidence collected at the scene included vehicle debris and a paper dealer plate.

The Ford Escape will have front end damage and may have barbed wire hanging from the vehicle. If the public has information about this vehicle contact the North Dakota State Patrol at **701-328-2447** or email at **ndhpsafetyedu@nd.gov**. If the vehicle is seen, call 911 and do not approach the driver or vehicle.

The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota State Patrol.

Contact information: Lt. Jenna Clawson Huibregtse, ndhpsafetyedu@nd.gov, 701-328-2447

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