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BISMARCK FATAL CRASH UPDATE

Update March 9:

Driver No. 1: Lucas Speidel, 39, Bismarck, fatal injuries

What: Fatality

Where: Sibley Drive / Dogwood Drive, Bismarck

When: March 7, 2026, at 12:05 p.m.

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Sunny

Crash Involvement: Single vehicle

Type of Crash: Fixed object

Agencies Involved: North Dakota State Patrol, Burleigh County Sheriff's Office, Bismarck Rural Fire, Metro Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 1989 Ford Mustang

Driver No. 1: Male, 39, Bismarck, fatal

Restraints: No seat belt in use

NARRATIVE: On March 7, 2026, at approximately 12:05 p.m., a 1989 Ford Mustang was traveling southbound on Sibley Drive in Bismarck. The vehicle failed to negotiate a curve in the roadway, crossed the northbound lane of traffic, and entered the east ditch. The vehicle then struck trees in the ditch.

The driver was transported by Metro Ambulance to CHI St. Alexius Health Bismarck, where he was later pronounced deceased as a result of injuries sustained in the crash.

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



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