



MEDIA RELEASE



Bloomington Police Department & McLean County Coroner's Office

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Fatal Traffic Crash

Bloomington, IL - On Tuesday, 6/11/24, at approximately 7:47 a.m, Bloomington police officers were dispatched to the intersection of Center Street and Bissell Street, for a traffic crash involving a motorcycle and a pickup-truck. Upon arrival, officers observed the crash and began their investigation. Due to the severity of the injuries, the McLean County Accident Reconstruction Team was called to the scene.

The driver of the motorcycle, a twenty-eight-year-old male, was transported to a local hospital where he was later pronounced deceased. An autopsy is pending.

"The loss of life is always tough to experience for family and friends, as well as for our officers. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family in their time of loss," said Chief Jamal Simington. "A reminder to all users of the highway system, always practice safe and responsible driving habits."

The circumstances behind this incident are still pending investigation by the Bloomington Police Department, the McLean County Accident Reconstruction Team, and the McLean County Coroner's Office. Anyone with information should contact the Bloomington Police Department at 309-820-8888.

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If you wish to submit a crime tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at 309-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org. You can also text the number 847411 by texting the word "BPDTIPS", then a space, followed by your tip information.

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