



OFFICIAL MEDIA RELEASE
KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



Date: November 23rd, 2013

Complaint Number: 13-151992

Type of Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Narrative:

On November 23rd, 2013 at 2343 hours at Northland Dr NE north of Russell St NE in the Township of Algoma, a single car fatal traffic accident occurred. The vehicle was travelling northbound on Northland Dr when it lost control and ran off the west side of the road. The vehicle rolled over and came to rest near the 12100 blk of Northland Dr. The driver of the vehicle, Nicolas McIntyre, was transported to the hospital with minor injuries and the passenger, Bridget Brinkmeier, sustained fatal injuries. The Kent County Sheriff's Department responded to the scene and was assisted by Rockford Police Department and Algoma Fire Department.

It is believed that the passenger was not wearing her seatbelt and that alcohol was a factor in this traffic accident. This accident is under investigation and will be forwarded to the Kent County Prosecutor's Office for review.