

NEWS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE August 28, 2022

One Vehicle Rollover - Hwy. 1 MM 119 near Cooperstown

What: One vehicle rollover crash

Where: Hwy. 1, MM 119, about 7 miles west of Cooperstown

When: August 28th, 2022 @ approximately 1:30 pm

Road Conditions: Dry

Weather: Daytime, partly cloudy

Type of Crash: One vehicle rollover crash

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Griggs County SO, Cooperstown Fire & Rescue, Cooperstown Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2008 Dodge Ram 2500 towing a 2012 Elite Manufacturing trailer

Driver No. 1: 24 YOA male, Binford, ND – serious injuries

Restraints: Not restrained

Charges: None

NARRATIVE:

On August 28th, at approximately 1:30 pm, a 2008 Dodge Ram 2500 was westbound on Hwy. 1 near MM 119, about 7 miles west of Cooperstown. The Dodge was towing a 2012 Elite Mfg gooseneck, flatbed trailer with scrap metal on the trailer.

While westbound, the right rear tire of the Dodge separated from the vehicle. Because of the tire separation, the driver of the Dodge lost control. The vehicle combination entered the



north ditch, and the Dodge rolled onto its top. The trailer came to rest on the top of the truck in the ditch. The trailer remained upright.

The 24 YOA driver was not restrained and was ejected in the crash. He was transported by Cooperstown Ambulance to the Cooperstown Medical Center. The male was then transported by air med to Sanford Hospital in Fargo.

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

For More Information Contact:

Captain Bryan Niewind (701) 320-1309 bniewind@nd.gov