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Troy Police Investigate Fatal Four-Car Crash

Troy, MI – Troy Police are investigating a fatal crash that killed one and injured two others yesterday on John R near Orpington, north of Big Beaver. At approximately 4:15 pm, a car traveling southbound on John R swerved into northbound lanes, colliding with another car going northbound.

After the first vehicle, a silver 2004 Jeep Grand Cherokee, collided with the second, it rolled over. The second vehicle, a gray 2004 Jeep Grand Cherokee, was subsequently hit by another car unable to stop in time, and that car was rear ended by another car that was also unable to stop in time.

The passenger in the first vehicle, a 27 year old female from Warren, was killed. She was treated by Alliance Mobile Health and pronounced dead at the scene. She was seated in the front passenger at the time of the crash and airbags were deployed.

The driver of the first car, a 28 year old female from Eastpointe, was injured in the crash for what appeared to be serious injuries. She was treated by Alliance Mobile Health and transported to Beaumont Hospital in Troy.

The driver of the second vehicle was also treated for suspected serious injuries by Alliance Mobile Health and transported to Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. The other drivers involved in the crash were not injured.

The cause of the crash is currently under investigation. Alcohol and drugs are not believed to be factors at this time.

The Troy Fire Department responded to the scene to extract the occupants of the first car. John R was closed for approximately four hours for the investigation.

Witnesses that were not spoken to at the scene are asked to contact the Troy Police Traffic Safety Unit at 248.524.3477.

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