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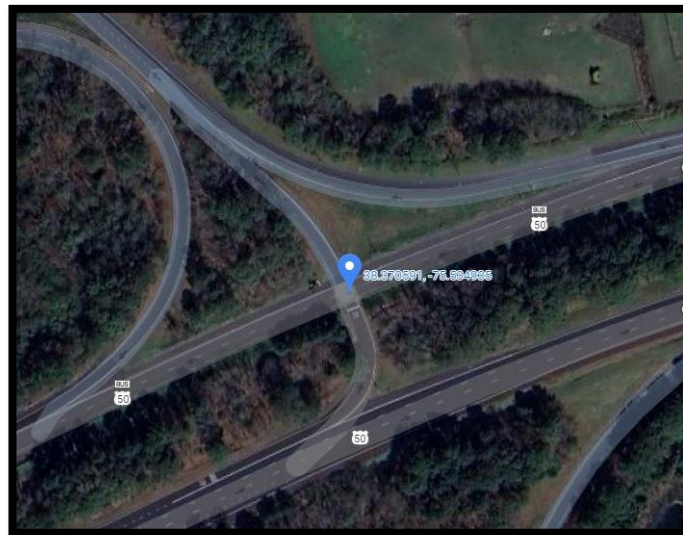
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### (Investigation - Fatal Motor Vehicle Collision)

On August 5, 2024 at approximately 11:10 in the morning, officers of the Salisbury Police Department responded to the area of westbound Ocean Gateway (Business Rt. 50) and the Bypass on-ramp to investigate a report of a motor vehicle collision. Upon arrival, officers observed a SUV, cement truck and pickup truck that had been involved in an apparent collision.

The initial investigation by members of the Salisbury Police Department revealed that a 2018 Toyota Highlander was attempting to cross westbound Ocean Gateway to enter the on-ramp to the Bypass. A 2011 Peterbilt Cement Truck was traveling westbound on Ocean Gateway and struck the Highlander, which in turn struck a 2019 Ford F-150. A 10-year-old female passenger that was traveling in the Highlander was transported to Tidal Health by Salisbury EMS as a result of injuries sustained from the collision. The passenger was pronounced deceased by medical personnel shortly thereafter. The driver of the Highlander was also transported to Tidal Health for non-life-threatening injuries.

An Advanced Crash Investigation is currently being conducted by members of the Salisbury Police Department with assistance from members of the Wicomico County Sheriff's Office and the Maryland State Police. Anyone who may have witnessed this incident, or possesses information regarding this incident, is requested to contact the Salisbury Police Department at (410) 548-3165.



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