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## **Fatal Motorcycle Crash**

**Lake in the Hills, IL -** On March 21, 2021, at approximately 10:53am, officers were dispatched in response to a reported motorcycle accident. A group of seven motorcyclists were traveling northwest on Virginia Road near Pingree Road when the crash occurred. One of the motorcyclists lost control, resulting in collisions between four of the motorcyclists in the group.

Upon arrival, lifesaving measures were being performed on one of the motorcyclists by a bystander, as well as Crystal Lake Police who assisted at the scene. The motorcyclist was transported by Algonquin-Lake in the Hills Fire Protection District to Northwestern Medicine Huntley Hospital where he was later pronounced deceased. Another motorcyclist was transported to Advocate Sherman Hospital where he was treated and released for non-life-threatening injuries. Two other motorcycles were damaged during the crash; however, the operators did not sustain any injuries.

The name of the deceased will not be released until notification of family has been made. The cause of the crash is pending investigation. No charges have been filed at this time.

Any criminal or traffic complaint(s) that have been filed against any individual(s) named herein are only an accusation. All defendant(s) are presumed innocent unless proven guilty in a court of law. All inquiries regarding this press release are to be directed to the Communications Coordinator at 847-658-5676 unless otherwise noted.