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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (May 5, 2021) Suffolk Police advise that their investigation into the fatal two vehicle accident that occurred on Wednesday, April 28, 2021, at the intersection of North Main Street and Holly Lawn Parkway at approximately 12:15 p.m. remains ongoing at this time.

Anyone who may have witnessed the accident, or that has information, is asked to contact Officer T. A. Gardner, Fatal Crash Investigator, at 757-514-7997, or 757-923-2350, Option 8.

UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (May 1, 2021) Suffolk Police advise that the driver of the Jeep Cherokee, Clifford Schompert, age 74, of Suffolk, succumbed to his injuries today while in the hospital.

The cause of the accident remains under investigation.

TWO VEHICLE ACCIDENT NORTH MAIN STREET WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

SUFFOLK, VA (April 29, 2021) Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue crews responded to a two vehicle accident Wednesday afternoon, April 28, 2021, at the intersection of North Main Street and Holly Lawn Parkway.

Emergency Communications received the call at 12:15 p.m. advising of the accident with injuries involving a GMC Arcadia pick-up that had flipped onto the driver side, and a Jeep Cherokee.

Suffolk Fire & Rescue crews responded and provided emergency medical assessment and treatment. The adult female driver and a juvenile had to be extricated through the windshield from the pick-up, and both were ground transported to a local hospital with non-life threatening injuries. The adult male driver of the Jeep was also ground transported to a local hospital with what were later determined to be life-threatening injuries.

A portion of the roadway was closed immediately following the accident for approximately an hour until all vehicles could be removed from the roadway.

The cause of the accident remains under investigation.

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