



Hanover County Sheriff's Office
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News Release

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The Hanover County Sheriff's Office is sad to report the death of a pedestrian in a traffic crash yesterday evening.

The Sheriff's Office responded to the 10300 block of Washington Highway at the intersection of Cedar Lane, just after 8:00 p.m. yesterday evening, in reference to a pedestrian struck by a 2001 Dodge Durango. The pedestrian, identified as 56-year-old Gilbert J. Trudeau of the Manitoba Province of Canada, was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The preliminary investigation indicates that Mr. Trudeau parked his tractor-trailer just off the northbound shoulder and attempted to walk across the north and southbound lanes. Mr. Trudeau was struck by the Dodge Durango as he attempted to cross the right southbound lane.

The Hanover County Sheriff's Office Traffic Safety Team continues to investigate this incident and will make a determination on charges when all relevant information is reviewed.

If you have any questions regarding this tragedy please contact Sergeant Michael J. Trice at (804) 365-6819