

## Winnebago County Sheriff's Department



## **News Release**

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## Fatal Accident Investigation

On May 27, 2021 at approximately 8:00pm, Winnebago County Sheriff's Deputies responded to the 9900 Block of North Alpine Road for a traffic accident. Upon arrival deputies observed that a GMC Yukon and semi-trailer truck collided and the SUV was lodged under the trailer of the semi. The vehicle was occupied by a male driver and a female passenger. The Harlem Roscoe Fire Department arrived and both the driver and passenger were pronounced deceased at the scene. During the preliminary investigation, deputies determined that the driver of the semi was exiting a business in the 9900 Block of North Alpine Road when it was struck by a northbound vehicle. The driver of the semi-truck was not injured.

The Illinois State Police, in conjunction with the Winnebago County Sheriff's Department, is handling the traffic crash investigation. No further details are available at this time.