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Winnebago County Sheriff's Department Conducts Fatal Accident Investigation

On November 14, 2020, at approximately 5:45am, Winnebago County Sheriff's Deputies responded to the 5600 block of N. Meridian Road for a two vehicle traffic crash. Upon arrival, deputies observed that two vehicles traveling in opposite directions had collided head on. One of the vehicles was engulfed in flames and an individual inside was deceased. Northwest Fire Department was called to the scene to extinguish the fire. The male driver of the other vehicle was transported to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Please avoid the 5600 Block of N. Meridian Road for the next several hours as it is closed for the accident investigation. The Winnebago County Sheriff's Department is conducting the investigation. No further details are available at this time.

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