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Media Release Traffic Fatality

Date: 12/3/2025

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Incident: Traffic Fatality

Location: 6500 block of North Wenas Road

Date: 12/3/2025

Narrative:

At about 0751 on December 3, 2025, Yakima County Deputies and Fire personnel were dispatched to the 6500 block of North Wenas Road for an injury collision. The reporting party advised of a rollover accident.

Deputies quickly arrived on scene and noted the road was slick with ice. Deputies and Fire personnel attempted life saving measures, but determined the 16 year old male driver died after losing control on the ice and striking a tree. The juvenile male, who was the sole occupant of the vehicle, was wearing his seatbelt and intoxicants were not believed to be a factor.

The family of the deceased has been notified.

The male attended school at Selah High School. School counselors have been advised to provide grief counseling.