



NEWS RELEASE

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Case No. 17-14676

On May 26, 2017 at approximately 5:28 p.m., Portage Police and Fire units were dispatched to a traffic crash on westbound I-94 near the exit ramp for northbound US-131. Once on scene, it was learned that a Chevy Silverado traveling west on I-94 merged into the far right lane. After merging, the truck had to brake suddenly due to traffic congestion. A charter bus traveling behind was unable to brake in time and collided with the rear of the Silverado. This collision caused the Silverado to collide with an SUV in front of it. That SUV then collided with a Dodge Ram truck in front of it.

The driver of the Silverado was transported to Bronson Hospital with apparent minor injuries. Four passengers from the charter bus were also transported to the hospital for apparent minor injuries.

Anyone with information regarding this accident is asked to call the Portage Department of Public Safety at 329-4567 or Silent Observer at 343-2100, www.kalamazoosilentobserver.com.

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