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Sheriff's Office Investigating Fatal Motorcycle Crash

The Union County Sheriff's Office is investigation a fatal motorcycle crash that occurred on Saturday evening in Jerome Township. On April 30, 2022, at approximately 6:11 pm, the Sheriff's Office received a 9-1-1 call reporting a motorcycle had crashed into a utility pole at the roundabout intersection of Industrial Parkway and Old Industrial Parkway. Deputies and units from the Pleasant Valley Fire District and the Jerome Township Fire Department responded to the scene and found one victim deceased in a grassy area near the roundabout. The Union Corners Office was called to the scene, along with additional deputies from the Multi County Crash Investigation Team.

The preliminary investigation has determined a 2021 Harley Davidson FLT motorcycle was eastbound on Industrial Parkway when it failed to negotiate the roundabout, lost control, struck a utility pole, and came to rest in a ditch. The driver was ejected from the motorcycle and was not wearing a helmet. Excessive speed, alcohol, and drugs are considered to be factors in the crash. The deceased male driver has been positively identified and is from the State of Michigan. His name is being withheld pending notification of the next of kin. The victim was transported to the Montgomery County Morgue where an autopsy will be performed. The crash remains under investigation.

Crash Scene Photo:

