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KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



Date: 03/13/2015

Complaint Number: 15-111747

Type of Incident: Fatal Accident

Reporting Officer: Scott Dietrich

Supervisor Approval: Sgt. Randy Kieft

On 03-13-2015 at approximately 1830 hours, Deputies responded to a single car motor vehicle accident. During the investigation it was determined that a 2002 Kia Rio was traveling southbound on Wilson Ave near 92nd Ave when the driver lost control. The vehicle then left the road and struck a tree. The driver was pronounced deceased at the scene and the front seat passenger was treated and later released with minor injuries.

Both the deceased driver and the injured passenger are students at Byron Center High School. The school has advised they will be available for grief counseling for students that are in need.