

## OFFICIAL MEDIA RELEASE KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



DATE: June 1st, 2016

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Fatal Motorcycle Crash

COMPLAINT NUMBER: 16-126430

REPORTING OFFICER: Deputy Ken Souser SUPERVISOR APPROVAL: Sgt. Sal Vitale

On June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 at 3:26 PM the Kent County Sheriff's Department responded to a report of a vehicle versus motorcycle crash on Byron Center Ave at Whistleton Street in Byron Township.

Investigation revealed that a southbound GMC Yukon driven by a 41 year old female from Byron Center made a left turn in front of a northbound 2005 Yamaha motorcycle driven by a 37 year old female from Jenison.

The motorcyclist was pronounced dead at the scene. The occupants of the GMC Yukon were not injured.

Alcohol and speed are not believed to be a factor in the crash and the motorcyclist was wearing a helmet.

The crash remains under investigation.