

WELLS COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS PRESS RELEASE

DATE: 8/28/2021

TIME: 11:28 AM

PERSONS INVOLVED: Driver 1: Cameron Fairchild (Male, Age 17) of Warsaw, IN (Deceased)

Driver 2: Lisa Calhoun (Female, Age 58) of Argos, IN

Passenger 1: Carol Thomas (Female, Age 68) of Markle, IN

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Fatal crash

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: SR 116 & CR 400 W

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT: D1 was traveling southbound on State road 116 in a black 2008 Honda Civic (V1), while attempting to pass in a no passing zone. D1 attempted to pass a vehicle and lost control of his vehicle while trying to merge back into his lane of travel, collided head on with a white 2012 Jeep Liberty (V2). Airbags were deployed in both vehicles. All occupants were checked by EMS. D1 was pronounced deceased on scene. D2 was air lifted to Luthern Hospital. P1 was transported to Lutheran hospital. Freeman's Towing towed both vehicles.

Responding were: Wells County Sheriff's Office, Markle Fire/Rescue, Uniondale Firedepartment, Wells County EMS, Lutheran Air.