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Fatal Traffic Crash involving on duty Sheriff's Deputy and Truck

Monday, April 26, 2010, Lac du Flambeau, WI (Vilas County),

On Sunday, April 25, 2010 at approximately 8:38 p.m. the Vilas County Sheriff's Office received a 911 call reporting a two vehicle head on crash with a squad car on STH 47 near East Boundary Trail.

The Deputy was traveling northbound on STH 47 when a dump truck pulled into the roadway in front of the squad car. The Deputy was responding to assist Lac du Flambeau Tribal Police with a call.

The driver of the dump truck was arrested for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. The driver was taken to the hospital and released with minor injuries.

The Deputy Sheriff was fatally injured at the crash scene. The traffic crash is being investigated by the Wisconsin State Patrol.

Victim: Deputy Sheriff Kory E. Dahlvig, 29 years old of Arbor Vitae, WI. Kory was employed as a Deputy for the Vilas County Sheriff's Office for two years and four months. Prior to being employed with Vilas County, Kory worked for the Lac du Flambeau Tribal Police Department for three and a half years.

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