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PRESS RELEASE

Fatality

On October 30, 2020, at approximately 11:58 PM, the Oldham County Police Department received a report of a single-vehicle collision in the 3300 Block of US 42.

The Oldham County Police department, LaGrange Fire and Rescue, and Oldham County EMS responded and found a 2003 Chevrolet Suburban owned and operated by Jesse Simpson, of Louisville, KY, off the roadway. Mr. Simpson was pronounced dead by the Oldham County Coroner at the scene.

Initial investigation indicates that the operator was traveling eastbound. The driver entered a curve where he began to leave the roadway on the south side of US 42. The operator attempted to re-enter the highway, at which time the Suburban began a lateral slide. The vehicle continued eastbound, then left the roadway on the north side and struck a telephone pole. Speed and alcohol appear to be contributing factors in the collision.

Please contact the Oldham County Police Department at (502) 222-1300 if you have any information about this incident.