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## PRESS RELEASE

### Fatality

On December 06, 2020, at approximately 6:12 PM, the Oldham County Police Department received a report of a two-vehicle collision in the 7200 Block of KY 22.

The Oldham County Police Department, South Oldham Fire, Pewee Valley Fire, and Oldham County EMS arrived at the scene and found a 1997 Honda Civic and a 2011 Hyundai Sonata that had collided head-on at the intersection of Wooldridge Avenue and KY 22. Unit One, the Honda Civic, was operated by Richard Shepard, DOB 01/29/1998, of Crestwood, KY. Mr. Shepard died at the scene and was pronounced by the Oldham County Coroner's Office. Unit Two, the 2011 Hyundai Sonata, was operated by Jeffrey Hourigan DOB 04/22/0964 of Crestwood KY, along with a juvenile passenger. Oldham County EMS transported the operator of Unit Two with unknown injuries; the juvenile passenger did not appear to suffer any injuries.

Initial investigation indicates that the operator of Unit One had been traveling Eastbound on KY 22 when he crossed over the centerline and struck Unit Two, who was traveling Westbound. Speed does not appear to be a factor; however, toxicology tests are pending.

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