

Pedestrian Crash Investigation Data Form Thief River Falls, MN HWY17SH002

(10 pages)

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FIRST: Identify all overhead wires, and sketch on rough scene diagram where

you can and cannot use GoPro extension pole.

1.0 SCENE

1.1 Crash	Location
1.1.1	Town: Thief River Falls
1.1.2	State: Minnesota
1.1.3	Route name: State Highway 59
1.1.4	Route number:
1.1.5	Milepost:
1.1.6	Speed limit: 60
1.1.7	Number travel lanes:
1.1.8	Road type (See binder for definitions):
	OInterstate
1.1.9	Road department: OCity OCounty OState OFederal
1.1.10	Roadway alignment (e.g., curved right or left, straight, etc.): Straight, Flat
1.1.11	Sidewalk: OYes ONo
1.1.12	Marked crosswalk: Oyes ONo
1.1.13	Describe roadside terrain: Flat rural area

1.1.14 Intersection: OYes ONo					
If yes, name cross street:					
1.1.15 GPS latitude: 48° 1'20.63"N					
1.1.16 GPS longitude: 96° 3'20.49"W					
1.2 Date of crash: October 6, 2016					
1.3 Local time: 7 am					
1.4 Weather conditions: Clear					
1.5 PROVIDE Scene diagram (Send .pdf attachment) of locations of the victim and					
vehicle along with any evidence showing the path of travel for the pedestrian and the vehicle.					
Note anything unusual about roadway surface or defects. Label diagram, and provide GoPro					
scan of vehicle and immediate highway location (could be two separate scans).					
Listed below are suggestions for inclusion in the scene diagram.					
1.5.1 Roadway point of impact (lighter objects typically land closer to impact area)					
1.5.2 Area body first strikes the ground – point of first landing					
1.5.3 Distance from point of impact to rest (total post-impact displacement)					
1.5.4 Distance traveled in the air					
1.5.5 Distance slid along the road/ground (ignore skid skips)					
1.5.6 Pre and post impact length of vehicle skid marks					
1.5.7 Angle between skid marks of vehicle and final rest position					
1.5.8 Location of any victim personal effects and body evidence					

Need da	ta for	calculating	speeds	and d	doing a	time	distance	analysis.	Suggest	using
.70 unle	ss rea	sons lead to	another	valu	ie.					

1.6	Describe other roadway evidence (e.g., skid marks, ABS evidence, tire prints, surface scrapes, glass, vehicle parts, etc.): Detailed post collision diagram attached to report
1.7	Document any traffic control devices in the vicinity:
	None
1.8	Describe surrounding features (e.g., school zone, housing development, urban, industrial, rural, etc.): Rural

1.9 Crash Type (From FHWA PBCAT – Ped Bike Crash Analysis Tool.
See binder for 3-digit code.): 742
1.9.1 Motorist direction:
Northbound OSouthbound OEastbound OWestbound OUnknown
1.9.2 Motorist maneuver: OLeft turn ORight turn OStraight OUnknown
1.9.3 Leg of intersection: Nearside Far side Unknown
1.9.4 Pedestrian direction:
Northbound OSouthbound OEastbound OWestbound OUnknown
1.10 Number/letter code of intersection diagram in relation to movement of vehicle and
pedestrian. (See binder for diagrams.): 342
1.11 Timelines for both driver and pedestrian (24-hour or right before the crash):
Pedestrian waiting for school bus Driver traveling to work

1.12 Conspicuity analysis or evidence of obstructed view for both driver and pedestrian
(environmental light conditions, dark clothing, area lighting, parked cars, utility poles, trees,
etc.) Consider videotaping relatively same size person dressed similarly at same time of day.
Dark no overhead lighting (see report for further detail)
1.13 PROVIDE police report (include 911 call time)
1.14 PROVIDE past crash history at same location and along road segment (5 years from
state DOT or local)
2.0 PEDESTRIAN
2.1 Number of pedestrians (NOTE: If more than one pedestrian was involved in the crash,
open new form and complete this section for each additional pedestrian.):
2.2 Victim age or date of birth (DOB): 7
2.3 Victim sex: m
2.4 Victim race: W
2.5 Alcohol involved: Yes No Unknown
2.6 Drug involved: Yes No Unknown
2.7 Victim height: approx 4 feet

2.8 Body measurements
2.8.1 From heels to knees: Not taken
2.8.2 From heels to hips: Not taken
2.8.3 From heels to navel: Not taken
2.8.4 From heels to shoulders: Not taken
2.9 Victim's height: Not taken
2.10 Describe victim evidence on scene (including side of impact and any evidence of
secondary impact with vehicle and ground, clothing, shoes, personal effects, cell phone, body
parts, body fluids, etc.).
See report for detail
2.11 Was there evidence of the body being run over? Yes No
2.12 Cell phone recovered: Yes No
2.13 If yes, location of cell phone: O Pocket OBag OApart from body
2.14 Final pedestrian position: OIntersection OCrosswalk OTravel lane
Shoulder Sidewalk Driveway Non-roadway

2.15 Pedestrian impact kinematics (See binder for definitions.):
Wrap Forward projection Fender vault Somersault
ORoof vault ODragged
2.16 Injury description; characterize blunt force trauma as (<i>Select as many as apply</i>): ✓ Contusions ☐ Fractures ☐ Lacerations ✓ Abrasions
Describe injuries: Blunt force trauma
2.17 PROVIDE hospital medical records
2.18 PROVIDE toxicology report
2.19 PROVIDE victim's cell phone use records
2.20 PROVIDE autopsy or medical examiners report (including impact locations, internal
injuries, head injuries, broken bones, tension wedge fracture in the leg)
3.0 VEHICLE
3.1 Hit and run: Yes No
3.2 Driver age or date of birth (DOB):
3.3 Driver sex: F
3.4 Driver race: W
3.5 Alcohol involved: Yes No Unknown
3.6 Drug involvement: OYes ONo OUnknown

3.7 Driver injury: Yes No If injured, describe:
3.8 Driver citation: Yes No If cited, describe charges:
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3.9 Driving history:
3.10 PROVIDE driver cell phone records
3.11 Vehicle make and model: Chrysler Town and Country
3.12 Vehicle estimated original speed before crash:
3.13 Vehicle speed at impact:
3.14 PROVIDE vehicle photographs (8-profile, all 4 sides, all 4 corners, and damage
photographs as a series of progressively closer shots.)

3.15 Describe vehicle (e.g., mechanical condition, vehicle damage and debris, glass broken,				
molding and components missing, paint fragments, antenna, wipers, parts numbers).				
Damage to right front, see report for photos				
3.16 If vehicle is already impounded, was it moved by: Flatbed Towed				
3.17 Vehicle measurements				
3.17.1 Bumper height from ground to bottom of bumper:				
3.17.2 Bumper height from ground to top of bumper:				
3.17.3 Calculate bumper lead angle:				
3.17.4 Height of hood from ground to front edge:				
3.17.5 Height of hood at intersection with bottom of windshield:				
3.17.6 Length of hood from leading edge to bottom of windshield:				
3.17.7 Distance from leading edge of hood to top of windshield:				
3.17.8 Height of the roof:				
3.18 Airbag release: OYes No				
3.19 PROVIDE airbag module for data download				
3.20 PROVIDE video records from surrounding vehicles or buildings				