

**Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office**  
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**Press Release**

**Date: 12/17/2022**

**On 12/17/2022 at 6:38 pm, the Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to the area of SD Hwy 38 and 462<sup>nd</sup> Ave for an injury accident involving a SUV and a snowmobile. Life saving measures were performed by first responders for the driver of the snowmobile. Avera Careflight Helicopter was also dispatched to the scene. The driver of the snowmobile, a 42 year old male, was pronounced deceased at the scene of the accident. The occupants of the SUV were uninjured.**

**The Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office was assisted by Hartford Fire Department, Humboldt Ambulance, Emergency Management, and Avera Careflight.**

**The crash is still under investigation by the Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office.**

**Sgt. Seth Hodges**  
**Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office**