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Fatal Traffic Crash Town of Sharon

On 07-28-19 at 1:44 AM, the Portage County Communication Center was notified of a single vehicle crash near the address of 4556 CTH J N in the Town of Sharon.

A vehicle was traveling north on CTH J near Wilderness Dr. when the operator crossed over the centerline, entered the west ditch and struck a driveway. The vehicle came to rest on the passenger side.

The driver, a 32 year old male is from Rosholt. One of his passengers, a 32 year old female is from Rosholt and a 54 year old female is from Amherst Junction. The 54 year old woman was pronounced deceased at the scene of the crash. The other occupants were taken by ambulance to area hospitals with apparent non-life threatening injuries.

The accident is still under investigation. The Portage County Sheriff's Office utilized their Technical Crash Investigation Team, and was also assisted by the Portage County Ambulance Service, Sharon EMS and the Rosholt Fire Department.

CTH J was closed for about three hours. The names of those involved is not being released at this time.