



**Pennsylvania Law Enforcement**  
**Crash - Public Information Release Report**

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**Agency Information:**

AGENCY PA STATE POLICE - MERCER	INVESTIGATOR MACZKO, JOHN
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**Summary Information:**

CAD/CASE NUMBER PA 2026-864480	CRASH DATE 07/04/2026	CRASH TIME 12:34 hrs.
COUNTY MERCER	MUNICIPALITY WILMINGTON TWP	
ROUTE # 0018	SEGMENT #	STREET NEW CASTLE
		STREET ENDING ROAD
LOCATION ON NEW CASTLE RD AT ITS INTERSECTION WITH PULASKI MERCER RD		

**People Involved:**

UNIT # 001	PERSON DRIVER	FIRST NAME SCOTT	MI A	LAST NAME ARNOLD	SUFFIX	AGE 59	Gender M
CITY WHEATLAND	STATE PA	SAFETY EQUIPMENT NONE USED / NOT APPLICABLE		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT			
EMS TRANSPORT TRANSPORTED	INJURY SEVERITY FATAL INJURY						
EMS AGENCY NOGA AMBULANCE SVC			MEDICAL FACILITY UPMC JAMESON HOSPITAL				

UNIT # 002	PERSON PASSENGER	FIRST NAME ROGER	MI C	LAST NAME JONES	SUFFIX JR.	AGE 35	Gender M
CITY STOW	STATE OH	SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT			
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED	INJURY SEVERITY SUSPECTED MINOR INJURY						
EMS AGENCY SHENANGO TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT			MEDICAL FACILITY NONE				

UNIT # 002	PERSON DRIVER	FIRST NAME DANNIN	MI M	LAST NAME JONES	SUFFIX	AGE 30	Gender F
CITY STOW	STATE OH	SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT			
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED	INJURY SEVERITY SUSPECTED MINOR INJURY						
EMS AGENCY SHENANGO TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT			MEDICAL FACILITY NONE				

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UNIT # 002	PERSON PASSENGER	FIRST NAME	MI	LAST NAME	SUFFIX	AGE 1	Gender M
CITY STOW	STATE OH	SAFETY EQUIPMENT CHILD SAFETY SEAT (REAR FACING)			NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT		
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY NOT INJURED					
EMS AGENCY				MEDICAL FACILITY NONE			

**Vehicles Involved:**

UNIT # 001	YEAR 2008	VEHICLE MAKE KAWASAKI	MODEL VULCAN
DRIVER CHARGED? N		PRIMARY VIOLATION 3323B DUTIES AT STOP SIGN	
UNIT # 002	YEAR 2024	VEHICLE MAKE KIA	MODEL TELLURIDE
DRIVER CHARGED?		PRIMARY VIOLATION	

**Crash Synopsis:**

**CRASH LOCATION:**

This crash occurred on New Castle Rd at its intersection with Pulaski Mercer Rd. Wilmington Township

**SCENE DESCRIPTION:**

This crash occurred on 07/04/2026 at approximately 1234 hours during daylight hours with clear weather conditions. Unit #1 was a motorcycle traveling west on Pulaski Mercer Rd. A stop sign was located on Pulaski Mercer Rd at its intersection with New Castle Rd. Unit #2 was a SUV traveling south on New Castle Rd. Traffic traveling south on New Castle Rd do not have a stop sign.

**CRASH SEQUENCE:**

The crash sequence is as follows. Unit #1 was a motorcycle traveling west on Pulaski Mercer Rd. Unit #2 was a SUV traveling south on New Castle Rd. A stop sign was located on Pulaski Mercer Rd, prior to its intersection with New Castle Rd. As Unit #2 approached the intersection Unit #1 proceeded passed the stop sign and into the path of travel of Unit #2. Unit #1 impacted Unit #2 with the initial points of impact being the 3 o'clock position of Unit #1 and the 12 o'clock position of Unit #2. Operator #1 was thrown from Unit #1. Operator #1 sustained fatal injuries as a result of the crash. Unit #1 sustained disabling damage to the 3 o'clock position of the motorcycle. Unit #2 traveled off the roadway in the western direction and impacted a fence prior to impacting the foundation of a house and coming to its final rest facing south. Unit #2 sustained disabling damage to the 12 o'clock position of the vehicle. Operator #1 was transported by NOGA EMS to UPMC Jameson where he was pronounced deceased at 1303 hours. The occupants of Unit #2 were treated for minor injuries by Shenango Township Fire EMS and released. Mercer Auto Wreckers responded and

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towed both Unit #1 and Unit #2 away from the scene of the crash.

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STATION MERCER PATROL UNIT		CAD/CASE NO PA 2026-833869
INVESTIGATING OFFICER CIALELLA,C,12086	DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT 06/28/2026 1900	
NATURE OF INCIDENT ASLT BODILY INJURY NO WEAPON		
LOCATION 37 MCCLELLAND LN		
MUNICIPALITY(COUNTY) SANDY LAKE TWP (MERCER)		

PERSON(S) INVOLVED (Age based off incident occurrence date):

**VICTIM/ARRESTEE:** Andrew BARKUS, 71, M, STONEBORO, PA

**VICTIM/ARRESTEE:** Jacob AMOS, 33, M, STONEBORO, PA

INCIDENT DETAILS:

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On the reported date and time, both Victim's/Arrestee's were involved in a verbal domestic which then became physical. Both Subjects were criminally charged.

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STATION MERCER PATROL UNIT		CAD/CASE NO PA 2026-598693
INVESTIGATING OFFICER CIALELLA, C, 12086	DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT 05/11/2026 1920	
NATURE OF INCIDENT ASLT BODILY INJURY NO WEAPON		
LOCATION 1989 PERRY HWY		
MUNICIPALITY(COUNTY) FAIRVIEW TWP (MERCER)		

PERSON(S) INVOLVED (Age based off incident occurrence date):

**VICTIM:** Kathleen SMITH, 54, F, FREDONIA, PA

**ARRESTEE:** Cassandra WILSON, 39, F, GREENVILLE, PA

**ARRESTEE:** John GRIFFITH, 57, M, CLARKS MILLS, PA

**VICTIM:** 12, F, FREDONIA, PA

INCIDENT DETAILS:

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This incident occurred as both Arrestee #1 and #2 were involved in a domestic dispute at said location. The Victims became involved attempting to resolve incident. At that time, both Victim's were assaulted by both Arrestee's.

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