



CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Chief of Police

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On Wednesday, December 26, 2018 at 2:47 p.m., the Dover Police Department and Dover Fire and Rescue responded to a single vehicle motor vehicle crash on Spruce Lane near Corbin Drive. On scene, investigating officers determined that 57-year-old Bruce Whiteley of Dover crashed his 2007 Honda Accord into a tree.

Whiteley was the only occupant of the vehicle and was transported by Dover paramedics to Wentworth-Douglass Hospital for serious injuries primarily to his chest and legs. Around 4:30 p.m., Whiteley succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased by a hospital doctor.

While this case remains under investigation by the Dover Police Department's Special Investigations Unit, drugs or alcohol do not appear to be a factor.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Dover Police Department at 603-742-4646 or the Dover Crimeline at 603-749-6000. The Dover Crimeline can also be contacted via www.dovernhcrimeline.org.

Media inquiries concerning this case can be directed to Sgt. Mark Nadeau of the Dover Police Department at 603-742-4646 or m.nadeau@dover.nh.gov.