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Incident: Fatal Collision between an SUV and Farm Truck

Abbotsford - August 26, 2010.

This afternoon at 3:30 pm the Abbotsford Police received a report of a two-vehicle, head-on collision in the area of Wells Line Road and Inter Provincial Highway. Abbotsford Police, Abbotsford Fire Rescue and BC Ambulance personnel arrived on scene and observed a black GMC Jimmy pinned underneath a large farm truck. The male driver of the GMC Jimmy was trapped but medical staff determined that he was deceased. The driver and passenger of the farm truck were shaken but uninjured.

The investigation into the causes of this tragedy is in the early stages. Abbotsford Police Patrol Division members and Collision Reconstructionists are still on scene and the area will be closed to traffic for several hours.

The Abbotsford Police Department extends condolences to the friends and family of the deceased man.

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To make Abbotsford the safest city in B.C.