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Fatality Accident

At 3:20 p.m. the Kearney Police Department along with the Kearney Fire Department and CHI Good Samaritan Hospital EMS were called to the 3600 block of East Highway 30 for a vehicle injury accident. The preliminary investigation indicates that a 2005 Buick Lesabre was pulling out of the east exit of Cabela's to drive east on Highway 30. This vehicle was driven by a 56 year-old Saunders County man. As this vehicle pulled out onto Highway 30, it was struck by a westbound 1993 Ford Explorer driven by a 17 year-old female from Sherman County. The 56 year-old Saunders County man was pronounced deceased at the scene. The other driver was taken to CHI Good Samaritan Hospital for treatment. No citations have been issued at this early stage of the investigation. The name of the deceased will not be released until notification of his family is complete.

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