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## FATAL CRASH ON STUMBERG LANE

Baton Rouge Police are investigating a fatal crash that occurred yesterday around 4:10pm in the 4900 block of Stumberg Lane. The crash involved a 2009 Honda Accord and a 2013 Kawasaki motorcycle.

The at-scene investigation revealed that the Honda was traveling south in the inside lane of Stumberg. The 19-year-old female driver attempted to make a left turn when the passenger side of her vehicle was struck by the Kawasaki. The Kawasaki was traveling north in the outside lane of Stumberg. Investigators believe that due to slower moving vehicles, the operator of the Kawasaki, TYLER WELCH, 25 of 4063 Richmond Drive, Ethel, LA., accelerated into the inside travel lane when he struck the passenger side of the Honda.

WELCH was pronounced deceased at the scene. The driver of the Honda was not injured in the crash.

Speed is believed to be a factor in this crash. This investigation remains ongoing.

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