MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES - LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

MICHIGAN SNOWMOBILE FATALITY SUMMARY

2023 – 2024

Updated: 12/07/2023 DEATHS: 1

No.	DATE	TIME	COUNTY	LOCATION	AGE/ SEX	Alcohol/Drugs Present	RESIDENCY	SAFETY CERT	PENDING/ FINAL
01	12-03-23	7:30 PM	Benzie County	Stanley Rd	54M	Suspected	Michigan	None	**Pending**
Operator traveling eastbound on snow covered county road. Operator failed to negotiate a left curve in the roadway which caused the snowmobile to strike an embankment and go airborne. Multiple trees were struck upon leaving the roadway, ejecting the operator. Speed and suspected alcohol contributing factors with crash.									