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Media Release

Incident Date: 08/29/2010

Incident Time: 1:14 AM

Incident Location: Poland Spring Rd (Route 11) Casco.

Incident Synopsis: On the above date and time, Deputy Andrew Feeney was sitting in the parking lot of the American Legion in Naples on Rte 11, near the intersection of Rte 302. Deputy Feeney heard the acceleration of a vehicle and then observed a vehicle go by without any head lights on. Deputy Feeney caught up to the vehicle in question and the vehicle did initially pull partially into a parking lot but then immediately pulled out into the roadway and sped off.

Deputy Feeney pursued after the vehicle for 1.5 miles, but the vehicle's taillights got further and further away. As Deputy Feeney reached the intersection of Rte 11 and the Leach Hill Rd., there was a straight stretch of roadway and he could just see the taillights go out of sight as the vehicle went around a corner.

Deputy Feeney reached the intersection of Rte 11 and the Quaker Ridge Rd and then advised our Communications Center that he had completely lost sight of the vehicle and was going to turn around and check the area to see if the suspect vehicle had pulled into a driveway or tote road.

Shortly thereafter, Deputy Feeney located the vehicle on the edge of the wood line. Both Casco and Naples Fire/Rescue responded to the accident. The two male passengers (one juvenile, one adult) were confirmed deceased at the scene; the adult male operator was taken to Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston by Life Flight.

The accident is being re-Constructed and will remain under investigation. At this time no charges have been filed against the driver, however, we are working closely with the District Attorney's Office to determine appropriate charges on Mr. Sparrow.

1. **Nicholas Sparrow**, 20 years old of Rosewood St. in Casco, ME. He was the driver and remains at Central Maine Medical Center.
2. **Thomas St. Saviour**, 29 years old of Amy Circle in Hiram, ME. He was a passenger in the car and was killed from the accident.
3. **Michael Daye**, 14 years old of Baldwin, ME. He was a passenger in the car and was killed from the accident.

The vehicle involved was a white 1993 Infinity registered to Sparrow's mother. Investigation indicates that the Sparrow had just moved into a residence and was having a party. The three individuals had left the party to go to the Naples Big Apple Store to buy some more alcohol. It appears that Thomas St. Saviour was refused purchase and the three were leaving the Big Apple Store, when Deputy Feeney saw them drive by.

It appears that alcohol and speed were factors in this crash.