Ohio State Highway Patrol

Media Release

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Milan Post Investigating Fatal Crash on the Ohio Turnpike

Olmsted Township – The Ohio State Highway Patrol is investigating a single-vehicle fatal crash. The crash occurred on November 25, 2026, at approximately 6:44 pm, on the Ohio Turnpike (westbound), near mile post 156, in Olmsted Township, Cuyahoga County.

Glen Richardson, 80, of West Newton, PA was traveling west on the Ohio Turnpike in a white 2022 Kia Soul. The Kia traveled off the right side of the roadway, struck the guardrail and traveled into the ditch. Mr. Richardson and the front seat passenger were transported to University Hospital St. John Medical Center with minor injuries. The rear passenger, Lynda Richardson, 73, was also transported to University Hospital St. John Medical Center and later succumbed to fatal injuries.

The crash remains under investigation at this time.

The Ohio State Highway Patrol was assisted on scene by Berea Fire Department and EMS, Strongsville EMS, Ohio Turnpike Maintenance, and Rich's Towing.

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