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Rider dies after motorcycle crashes into Hwy 174 marsh

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NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C. – Charleston County deputies are investigating a traffic fatality Saturday involving a single motorcyclist in the Hollywood area.

The crash was reported before 6:40 p.m. on Highway 174 near White Point Road.

The motorcycle was traveling on Highway 174 when it went off the road and into a marsh. The motorcycle sank. First responders pulled its sole rider from the water, but he was pronounced dead at the scene.

He was wearing a helmet.

CCSO's Traffic Services Unit is investigating the crash. The road was closed as deputies conducted an investigation at the scene. It was reopened about 9:30 p.m.

The Charleston County Coroner's Office will publicly identify the motorcyclist when appropriate.

The crash marked the seventh traffic fatality investigated this year by CCSO.

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