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## CCSO responds to county vehicle collision in McClellanville

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**NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C.** – Deputies with the Charleston County Sheriff's Office responded to North Highway 17 near South Santee Road in McClellanville shortly before 4 p.m. on Monday, November 18, 2024, for reports of a county vehicle collision with injuries.

A Charleston County EMS unit was traveling northbound on North Highway 17 approaching Rutledge Road to a nonemergent medical call. Through an initial investigation, it appears the EMS unit changed lanes to turn left onto Rutledge Road when a civilian vehicle struck the rear passenger side of the ambulance. This caused the civilian vehicle to roll over into the median, ejecting the driver out of the sunroof due to being unrestrained. The EMS unit was not transporting any patients at the time of the collision, nor were lights and sirens being used.

The driver of the civilian vehicle was transported to a nearby hospital. No injuries were reported to the crew of the ambulance.

The CCSO Traffic Until will continue to investigate the collision

