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70-Year-Old Man Killed in Fatal Route 40 Aberdeen Crash

Aberdeen, MD –   On Monday, December 15, 2025, at around 6:51 pm, Aberdeen officers responded to the 200 block of S. Philadelphia Blvd for a reported collision between two cars. Seventy-year-old Kelvin Bennett of Ellicott City was declared dead at the scene. He was a passenger in a Nissan Maxima driven by a 63-year-old man, who was taken to UM Upper Chesapeake Medical Center in Aberdeen for treatment. Maryland State Police Medevac transported the twenty-three-year-old driver of the other vehicle involved to the University of Maryland Shock Trauma Center for treatment, where he is listed in critical condition.

The Harford County Sheriff's Office Accident Reconstruction Unit was requested to respond to the scene and assist in the investigation.

No criminal charges have been filed at this time. However, the investigation remains active.

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