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Shreveport Police Investigating Major Crash on West 70th Street

The Shreveport Police Department is actively investigating a serious automobile crash that occurred just after 8:30 a.m. on May 19, 2025, at the intersection of West 70th Street and Broad Acres Road.

Upon arrival, officers discovered a 2012 Ford F-250 that had rolled over and come to rest off the roadway, and a 2000 Toyota Tacoma that was stopped on the eastbound side of West 70th Street. Preliminary findings indicate that the Toyota Tacoma was traveling south on Broad Acres Road and was attempting to turn west onto West 70th Street when it crossed into the path of the westbound Ford F-250.

The impact caused the Ford F-250 to roll multiple times before coming to a stop in a nearby wooded area. The driver of the Toyota Tacoma was partially ejected during the collision and sustained multiple injuries that are considered life-threatening. They were transported to a local hospital for treatment. The driver of the Ford F-250 declined medical attention at the scene.

Shreveport Police Department crash investigators responded and began a full investigation. The driver of the Ford F-250 voluntarily submitted to impairment testing, and no signs of impairment were detected.

At this time, no citations have been issued. The investigation remains ongoing.