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1 killed, 3 teens hurt in Noble chase

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Article Text:

An 18-year-old Wolcottville man was killed Friday night after police said he was being pursued by a Kendallville police officer and crashed his car in Noble County.

Three teenage girls who were passengers in the car were injured in the crash.

According to the Indiana State Police, Eddie Slone was driving a 1990 Acura Integra west on County Road 1200 North at 8:40 p.m. and was being pursued by a police officer for a traffic violation.

Police said County Road 1200 North dead-ends at Angling Road, and Slone was unable to stop his car.

The car left the road and struck a large tree stump, police said.

Slone died at the scene.

The three teenage girls were flown to Parkview Hospital in Fort Wayne, police said.

Samantha Huff, 16, of Wolcottville, was listed in fair condition Saturday afternoon.

Rachella Slone, 15, of Kendallville, and Britney Bolen, 15, of LaGrange, were both listed in serious condition Saturday afternoon.

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