

# Onondaga County Sheriff's Office News

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## Deputies Investigate Crash that Closed a Portion of 81 Overnight

**Town of Tully, New York** – The Onondaga County Sheriff's Office continues to investigate a serious crash that occurred overnight which closed a portion of northbound Interstate 81 in Tully.

Yesterday evening at approximately 10:40 pm, Sheriff's deputies responded to northbound Interstate 81 just south of the Lafayette weigh station in the Town of Tully for a reported collision involving a tractor trailer and vehicle. Deputies investigating the crash say a 2014 BMW was traveling northbound on Interstate 81 when the driver lost control of the vehicle. As the vehicle spun sideways, it was then struck by a 2003 Kenmore tractor trailer that was also traveling northbound.

The impact from the collision caused significant damage to both vehicles and rescue personnel had to extricate the critically injured driver of the BMW, who was transported to Upstate University Hospital. The driver of the tractor trailer, who was transporting furniture to the Syracuse area, was not injured.

The northbound lanes of Interstate 81 between the Lafayette and Tully exits were closed for several hours while members of the Sheriff's Accident Investigation Team processed the scene. The crash remains under investigation.

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