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Driver Ticketed After Truck Strikes Parkway Bridge

Town of Salina, New York – The Onondaga County Sheriff's Office reports that the driver responsible for crashing into the CSX railroad bridge has been ticketed.

This morning at approximately 9:19 am, Sheriff's Deputies responded to the Onondaga Lake Parkway to investigate a crash involving a truck and the CSX railroad bridge. The box style truck belonging to Latina Boulevard Foods LLC from Buffalo New York, was traveling south of the parkway when it struck the railroad bridge. The operator, Kevin Cottman (32), also from Buffalo, told deputies he didn't see any of the warning signs and was following the directions of his Google map.

The truck and bridge sustained minor damages and no injuries were reported. Deputies were forced to temporarily close the southbound lanes of Onondaga Lake Parkway and had to deflate the truck tires in order to free the truck from the bridge. The height of the CSX bridge is posted to be 10' 9" and the height of the truck is listed as being 12'6" high.

Cottman was issued a traffic ticket for failure to obey a traffic control device.

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