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Fatal Crash in Eddy County

Loving – Sonia Hepler 11/26/1969 of Loving, New Mexico was fatally injured in the vehicle she was driving.

State Police officers responded to a single vehicle crash yesterday morning just south of Loving. Hepler was traveling southbound on County Road 731 in her 1994 GMC pick-up, when it drifted onto the east shoulder of CR 731. Hepler overcorrected into a broadside skid, with the continuing momentum it rolled over once.

Sonia Hepler was pronounced deceased on scene by the Office of the Medical Investigator. Hepler was not wearing her seatbelt at the time of the crash.

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