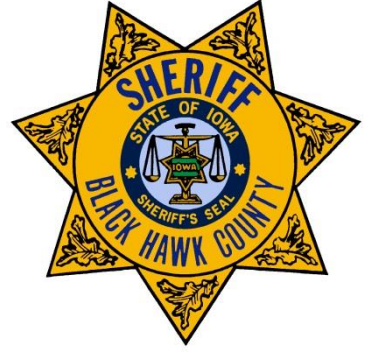


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BICYCLIST KILLED IN ACCIDENT ON HWY 218 NEAR WASHBURN

On 07/02/2018, at approximately 0605 hrs., BHC Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to a motor vehicle/bicyclist accident on Hwy 218, just north of Washburn. Deputies arrived on scene and found that a bicyclist had been southbound on Hwy 218 and was struck by a vehicle that was also southbound on Hwy 218, the bicyclist was critically injured.

The bicyclist, Connie Inks, age 54, of Waterloo; was transported to Covenant Medical Center by La Porte City Ambulance where she died. The vehicle involved in the accident was driven by Joshua Summerhays, age 39, of Waterloo.

No charges have been filed at this time but the accident remains under investigation. Deputies were assisted by the Iowa State Patrol, La Porte City Ambulance, and Gilbertville Fire Department.

Captain Mark Herbst
Patrol/Investigative Division Commander

A CRIMINAL CHARGE IS MERELY AN ACCUSATION AND THE DEFENDANT IS PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL AND UNLESS PROVEN GUILTY.