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Press Release

On 11/03/2017, The Owyhee County Sheriff, s Office received a 911 call regarding a personal aircraft crash in the Combination area of Owyhee County (southeast of the Jordan/Pleasant Valley area).

The aircraft apparently endured a tough windy condition which forced it into a hillside and subsequent crash. The pilot, Dean Hilde of Boise, Idaho was pronounced deceased at the scene. The passenger, Gerald Bublitz, 42yoa out of Boise was taken to an area hospital via air ambulance with serious injuries.

The crash investigation will continue in the hands of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

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