Incident Name: Chetaslina Fire Vehicle Accident (2019)

State: Alaska

Date: 7/21/19

Incident Type: Vehicle Accident

Description of the Incident:

A firefighter from the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest, along with a National Park Service firefighter, was involved in a rollover motor vehicle accident when she swerved to avoid another traffic accident that occurred directly in front of them. The NPS firefighter was slightly injured. The Forest Service firefighter was flown to a hospital via air ambulance. She was treated for a concussion, whiplash, and bruises and lacerations to a shoulder. She was released later that evening and flew home the following day.

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