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**\*\*\* NEWS RELEASE \*\*\***

**DATE:** October 30, 2025

**FROM:** LaSalle County Coroner's Office

On Tuesday, October 28, 2025, the LaSalle County Coroner's Office was called to Interstate 39 for a two-vehicle collision near mile marker 50, between Oglesby and Tonica, Illinois for a deceased male individual. The decedent was identified as Robert Daniel Allen Haig, age 26, of Magnolia, Illinois.

The driver of the other vehicle was flown to an area hospital.

A forensic investigative autopsy was conducted on October 29, 2025. Preliminary results of the autopsy are still pending, and further forensic and toxicology testing is pending the final outcome.

This incident is under investigation by the Illinois State Police and the LaSalle County Coroner's Office. An Accident Reconstructionist was called to the scene.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard Ploch".

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