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PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
November 4, 2022

<u>Nature of Release:</u> Motor Vehicle Fatality	<u>Date and Time of Incident:</u> November 4, 2022 10:06 AM
<u>Incident Location:</u>	U.S. 22 at White Thorn Road Salem Township
<u>Person(s) Involved:</u> Decedent: Sandra L. Jones, 79 y/o female Address: Old William Penn Highway Salem Township	
Date and Time of Death: November 4, 2022, at 11:25 AM	
<u>Incident Details:</u>	Cause of Death: Blunt Force Injuries Due to: Two Vehicle Collision Manner of Death: Accidental <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Westmoreland County Coroner, Timothy Carson, has released the following information on a motor vehicle fatality that occurred in Salem Township.▪ The decedent, Sandra L. Jones, was the operator and lone occupant of a 2018, Ford Escape, stopped at a traffic control device at the intersection of White Thorn Road and U.S. 22.▪ The decedent attempted to cross over the lanes of U.S. 22 and continue onto Hannastown Road.▪ The decedent was struck by a tractor-trailer traveling west on U.S. 22.▪ Deputy Coroner Cara L. Shaffer pronounced the decedent dead at the scene.▪ The decedent was utilizing a seat-belt at the time of the incident.▪ Air bags deployed within the vehicle.▪ Cellular phone use is not believed to have been a factor in the incident.▪ Cause and manner of death is reflected above.▪ Toxicology results will not be available for several weeks.▪ Vaia Funeral Home of Delmont will be in charge of arrangements.▪ Pennsylvania State Police Kiski Barracks also investigated and will release additional details at their discretion.
****No further information is available at this time****	