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Wilmington Man Receives Prison Sentence for Fatal E-Bike Crash

On October 14, 2026, 34-year-old Brian Keith Mcie of Wilmington pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter for the fatal collision that resulted in the death of Michael Leroy Daniels, 42.

On July 6, 2025, Mr. Mcie was travelling on South Kerr Avenue near the intersection of Greenway Avenue when he attempted to change lanes at a high rate of speed and struck Mr. Daniels, who was riding an e-bike. The victim died at the scene. Witnesses, video footage and physical evidence at the scene confirmed that Mr. Mcie was driving at speeds of up to 74 miles per hour before the crash, and is estimated to have been driving between 45 and 50 miles per hour at the time of impact. The posted speed limit on the road is 35 miles per hour.

Mr. Mcie has an extensive history of speeding tickets and vehicle collisions in multiple counties in North Carolina; this was his seventh car accident in four years. Due to his prior record and the aggravating circumstances of the collision, Chief Superior Court Judge Kent Harrell sentenced Mr. Mcie 20 to 33 months in prison.



Brian Keith Mcie