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On January 22, 2021, at approximately 9:11 p.m. the Platte County Sheriff's Office was notified of a single vehicle crash on 273 Highway near the intersection of 92 Highway Spur. The crash occurred as a 2000 Ford Focus was traveling northbound on 273 Highway when it left the roadway, traveled down an embankment, and then went airborne. The driver of the Ford, Catherine Scarlett, a 31 year of old female, from Camden Point, Missouri, died at the scene. There were no other occupants in the vehicle. The cause of the crash is currently under investigation. The crash is being investigated by the Platte County Sheriff's Office Crash Team.