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## Press Release

### Manslaughter indictment in Milton fatal crash

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Manuel Afonseca, 41, the subject of recent [press coverage](#), has been indicted by a Norfolk County Grand Jury for manslaughter and other charges in relation to a fatal Milton crash.

On Wednesday, February 1, 2023, the Norfolk County Grand Jury issued a true bill on each of the four indictments of Manuel Afonseca, age 41 : aggravated assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, involuntary manslaughter by wanton or reckless conduct, negligent motor vehicle homicide, and operation with license suspended as a habitual traffic offender.

Mr. Afonseca's defense attorney has filed a motion that would allow for the defendant, who has medical issues, to be arraigned via Zoom hearing. If that motion is allowed by the court, the arraignment will go forward at 2 p.m. on Monday, February 6, 2023 before the Hon. Beverly Cannone.