Fatal Traffic Collision – Warner Avenue, West of Goldenwest Street

On Tuesday, September 12, 2023, at approximately 6:45 p.m., the Huntington Beach Police Department (HBPD) responded to a traffic collision on Warner Avenue, west of Goldenwest Street, involving a red 2007 Suzuki SV650 motorcycle and a red 2020 Hyundai IONIQ.

Upon arrival, officers located the motorcyclist, a 24-year-old male from Huntington Beach, in the roadway. He was transported to a local hospital but was recently pronounced deceased. The driver of the Hyundai, a 20-year-old male from Huntington Beach, remained at the scene and fully cooperated with officers. The impairment of the motorcyclist is not known at this time.

Based on the preliminary investigation, the motorcyclist was traveling westbound on Warner Avenue in the #2 lane. The Hyundai faced eastbound in a left turn pocket of Warner Avenue, west of Goldenwest Street. The Hyundai made a left (northbound) turn towards a private driveway and a collision with the motorcyclist occurred.

The collision investigation is ongoing and being handled by the HBPD Multidisciplinary Accident Investigation Team (MAIT). Anyone who may have witnessed the collision or the events leading up to it is encouraged to contact HBPD Traffic Investigator J. Rounds at (714) 536-5666.