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Release Date/Time: November 16th, 2015 at 10:30 p.m.

Subject: Fatal Traffic Collision

Case Number: 2015-18138

Details:

On Monday, November 16th, 2015, at 6:47 pm, the Huntington Beach Police Department responded to the area of Beach Blvd and Newman Avenue regarding a vehicle / pedestrian traffic collision.

Arriving officers located a female pedestrian lying in the #2 northbound lane of Beach Blvd. and the involved driver of a 1997 black Toyota Tacoma pickup also at the scene. The female was transported to a local trauma center by Huntington Beach FD and later pronounced deceased. Her name will not be released until next of kin can be notified.

Based on the preliminary investigation, it appears the vehicle was traveling northbound on Beach Blvd. and collided with the pedestrian who was crossing Beach, westbound in the northbound lanes near the intersection of Liberty Drive.

The investigation is ongoing and is being conducted by the HBPD Major Incident Reconstruction Team (M.I.R.T). No citations have been issued and no arrests have been made at this time. It is not known if alcohol was a factor.

Anyone with information about this collision is asked to contact Huntington Beach Police Accident Investigator Robert Barr at 714-536-5666 or Accident Investigator Josh Page at 714-536-5670. During non-business hours or on weekends, calls should be directed to 714-960-8825.