TORRANCE

Press Release

Police Department July 30TH, 2021

FATAL TRAFFIC COLLISION

On Thursday, July 29th, 2021, at approximately 4:50 PM, Torrance Police Officers and Torrance Firefighters responded to the area of 220th Street and Western Avenue regarding a two – car traffic collision.

The preliminary investigation reveals Vehicle-1 was trying to make a left-turn onto W/B 220th Street from Western Avenue when they collided with Vehicle-2 that was driving S/B Western Avenue.

There was a mother and a 5-month old infant in the back seat of Vehicle-1 who were ejected from the vehicle because of the collision. Torrance Police Officers and Torrance Fire Department immediately transported the mother and her 5-month old infant to Harbor General Hospital for significant injuries. The drivers of both Vehicle-1 and Vehicle-2 were transported to the hospital for minor injuries. The 5-month old infant was pronounced deceased at the hospital. The mother is still in critical condition at the time of this press release. The identities of all involved are being withheld pending notifications and respect for the deceased 5-month old's family.

The Torrance Police Department offers its condolences to the family involved in this incident. This investigation is being conducted under the command of Torrance Police Department Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information regarding this case is encouraged to contact the Torrance Police Department at (310) 618-5557 (DR# 210028117).



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