NEWS RELEASE

Incident Date and Time: Tuesday, March 26, 2019, 6:33 am

Location: Holly Street at S/B US HWY – 101 off-ramp, San Carlos, California

Type of Crime/Incident: Traffic Accident (Fatality)

Summary:

On March 26, 2019, at approximately 6:33 am, San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office Deputies responded to the intersection of westbound Holly Street at the southbound US Highway 101 off-ramp on the report of a traffic accident involving two vehicles. Upon arrival, Deputies located a Honda HR-V and a Ford F-250 pickup truck, which was towing a travel trailer carrying landscaping equipment. Both vehicles were blocking the right lane of traffic on Holly Street.

Deputies noticed the driver and sole occupant of the Honda, an Asian female in her sixties, was unconscious and not breathing. Redwood City Fire Engine #13 responded to the scene and immediately initiated lifesaving measures to the female driver. The female driver was transported by AMR to Stanford Hospital where she was pronounced deceased at 7:31 am.

Due to the severity of the accident, the Sheriff’s Office Major Accident Investigation Team (M.A.I.T.) responded to the scene and assumed the investigation. The San Mateo County Coroner’s Office was notified and later responded to Stanford Hospital to conduct a death investigation. The driver of the pickup truck, and his two passengers were uninjured and declined medical attention. The investigation is ongoing and the cause of the collision has yet to be determined at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call the San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office Anonymous Tip Line at 1-800-547-2700.

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