

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Amtrak Train vs. Pedestrian collision

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Synopsis:

On September 26, 2019, at approximately 1925 hours, deputies from the North Coastal Sheriff's Transit Enforcement Unit responded to a report of an Amtrak Train vs. bicyclist collision. The collision occurred on the railroad tracks near Mile Post Marker 229.2 in the city of Carlsbad, Ca. A southbound Amtrak Train was traveling at approximately 63 miles per hour when an adult male rode his bicycle into the middle of the rail road tracks. The male struck the side of the train. The male was transported to Tri-City Hospital and later died at the hospital.

Anyone with information about this case can call the Sheriff's Department non-emergency line at (858)565-5200.

Source of Information: M. Ramirez, Sheriff's Department, Transit Enforcement Unit.