

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Serious Injury Collision

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SYNOPSIS:

On Saturday, February 24, 2018, at 5:16 p.m., deputies responded to a vehicle versus bicyclist collision located at 4th Street and Palm Avenue in the city of Imperial Beach.

Three adults were riding bicycles in the bicycle lane of eastbound Palm Avenue. As they crossed 4th Street, one of the adult riders, a 57 year old adult female, was struck by a vehicle turning left (southbound) from Palm Avenue to 4th Street. The driver of the vehicle remained at the scene and is cooperating with the collision investigation. Paramedics arrived on scene and transported the adult female to an area hospital for treatment of serious injuries. Traffic Investigators were called out to the scene along with the S.T.A.R. (Sheriff's Traffic Accident Reconstruction) team.

A preliminary investigation has determined alcohol and drugs are not a factor, and the investigation is still on-going by the S.T.A.R. team.