



San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Coaster Train vs. Pedestrian collision
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Synopsis:

On May 23, 2018, at approximately 1850 hours, deputies from the North Coastal Sheriff's Transit Enforcement Unit responded to a report of a train vs. pedestrian collision. The collision occurred on the railroad tracks at the intersection of Surfrider Way and North Cleveland Street in the city of Oceanside. An out of service, northbound Coaster Train was traveling at approximately 50 miles per hour when an adult male walked past the intersection's signal guards, stood on the tracks, and was struck by the train. The male was pronounced deceased at the scene. Anyone with information about this case can call the Sheriff's Department's non-emergency line at (858) 565-5200.

Source of Information: T. Eikermann, Sheriff's Department, Transit Enforcement Unit.