

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: San Marcos Vehicle versus Motorcyclist Collision

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SYNOPSIS:

On June 18, 2018, at 12:23 PM, deputies from the Sheriff's San Marcos Station Traffic Unit responded to a vehicle vs. a motorcyclist at the intersection of W. Mission Road and Knoll Road, in the City of San Marcos.

Based on the preliminary investigation, it was determined a 19 year old Hispanic male was riding his red 2005 Yamaha motorcycle travelling eastbound on W. Mission Road when he entered the signal light controlled intersection at Knoll Road. At that moment, a 19 year old Caucasian male driving a gray 1990 Lexus was attempting a left turn from the westbound signal light controlled left turn lane of W. Mission Road to southbound Knoll Road. Both drivers were unable to avoid a head on collision. The driver of the vehicle remained at the scene of the collision, and is cooperating with the investigation. The motorcyclist was transported to a local hospital for serious; but non-life threatening injuries.

The cause of the collision is still under investigation. Alcohol is not a factor in the collision. Anyone with information regarding the collision requested to contact Deputy D. Arnold Sr. at (760)510-5200.