



San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

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SYNOPSIS:

On September 25, 2018 at approximately 1:09 pm, deputies from the Poway Sheriff's Station responded to a solo-vehicle traffic collision in the 13600 block of Kirkham Way. Upon arrival, deputies discovered a 2006 Honda CRV which had driven off the roadway and down a 500 foot canyon. Through the course of the investigation, it was determined that the vehicle was traveling south on Tech Center Drive, when it failed to stop at the stop sign at Kirkham Way. The vehicle appeared to have struck and launched over the raised curb on the south side of the roadway, continuing forward down the steep canyon. According to witnesses, the driver may have had a medical emergency.

The driver of the Honda, a 69-year old female, was located inside the vehicle, conscious and alert. She was air-lifted to Palomar Medical Center for non-life threatening injuries. Alcohol/drugs are not suspected to be a factor in this collision.

The Poway Traffic Division is handling the investigation.