



PRESS RELEASE

City of Pueblo Police Department



Fatal Traffic Crash

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On June 5, 2021, at approximately 4:30 p.m., Pueblo police officers responded to the intersection of Northern Avenue and Orman Avenue regarding a traffic accident with injuries.

Upon arrival, officers discovered that three individuals had suffered serious injuries and a fourth was deceased at the scene. The Pueblo Police Department Traffic Section responded and initiated an investigation.

The initial investigation revealed that a female in an SUV was traveling northbound on Orman Avenue when she ran a red light at Northern Avenue and struck two motorcycles. The motorcycles were traveling eastbound on Northern Avenue. Each motorcycle had a rider and a passenger.

The deceased victim was a 41-year-old female. The three remaining riders were transported to a local hospital with serious injuries. One male victim was in surgery as the drafting of this press release.

The suspect, 28-year-old Alisha Herrera, was suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol. She was arrested and charged with one count of Vehicular Homicide and three counts of Vehicular Assault.

The identity of the deceased will be released by the Pueblo County Coroner's Office.

The scene remains an active traffic investigation, and motorists are urged to avoid the area.

The information contained in this press release is based on preliminary information available at the time of its drafting. The Pueblo Police Department's understanding of this incident may change as additional evidence is collected, analyzed and reviewed. The purpose of this press release is to provide timely information to the public. In consideration of the foregoing, please be advised that any statements expressed herein are subject to change at any time.

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