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50th Traffic Fatality

Date: September 9, 2020

Time: 11:25 am

Location: 1700 N Zaragoza Rd

Vehicle: 2000 Buick Park Avenue

Driver: 87 –year old Eusebio Salazar of the 1400 block of Gene Torres Dr (**Deceased**)

Vehicle: 2010 Ford Edge

Driver: 18 –year old Eian Nevarez of the 2800 block of Pasillo Rock Pl

El Paso Police Department’s Special Traffic Investigations Unit is conducting an investigation into the city’s 50th traffic fatality. Late yesterday morning, 87 –year old Eusebio Salazar was traveling southbound on N Zaragoza in a 2000 Buick Park Avenue, when he failed to yield the right of way and made a left turn in front of a northbound 2010 Ford Edge. The Ford, driven by 18 –year old Eian Nevarez, collided into the Buick. Both drivers were transported to a local hospital with what was believed to be non-life threatening injuries. STI received notification today Salazar passed away as a result of his injuries. Failure to yield right of way is believed to be a contributing factor in this collision.

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