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**NEWS
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Second Traffic Fatality of 2021

Date: 01/08/2021

Time: 12:25 AM

Location: 10600 Montwood Dr.

Vehicle: 2007 Chevrolet Malibu

Driver: 27 –year old Jorge Jara Quiñonez of the 11800 block of Priscilla Cir.

EL PASO, Texas — Just after midnight this morning, Special Traffic Investigations responded to the 10600 block of Montwood Dr. on the second fatality of 2021. Investigators learned 27 –year old Jorge Jara Quiñonez was westbound on Montwood, traveling at a high rate of speed. Quiñonez lost control of the Chevrolet Malibu he was driving and slid sideways across lanes of traffic. The vehicle jumped a curb, struck a stop sign at Montwood and Pacheco Dr., and crashed into a residential rock wall at the 2100 block of Pacheco. Quiñonez suffered serious injuries and died at the scene. No other individuals sustained injuries in the crash. Investigators believe speed is the contributing factor. This is the second traffic fatality of 2021 compared to zero this time last year.



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