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**NEWS
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04/12/2021

18th Traffic Fatality

Date: 04/11/2021

Time: 4:47 PM

Location: 4700 Dyer St.

Vehicle: 2019 Kawasaki Ninja

Driver: 25 –year old Ricardo Mota of San Elizario, Texas

Vehicle: 2020 Dodge Challenger

Driver: 20 –year old Philip Ignacio Guevara Jr. of Fort Bliss, Texas

Passenger: 28 –year old Hahsahn Gathers of Fort Bliss, Texas

EL PASO, Texas — Yesterday afternoon Special Traffic Investigators were called to assist Northeast Regional Command officers on a collision involving a fatality. Investigators learned 25 –year old Ricardo Mota was northbound in the left lane at the 4700 block of Dyer St. Mota reportedly cut into the second lane of traffic and crashed into a 2020 Dodge Challenger, driven by 20 –year old Philip Ignacio Guevara Jr. Guevara was southbound, making an eastbound turn into a private drive. Mota, who was wearing a helmet, suffered grave injuries. He was transported to University Medical Center where he succumbed to his injuries. Guevara and his passenger were not injured. The cause of this collision is still under investigation. This is the 18th traffic fatality of 2021 compared to 22 this time last year.



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