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Two Vehicle Crash Leads to Pedestrian Being Killed

Date/Time: 03/28/2023 @ 1:23 P.M.
Location: 1840 Lee Trevino (Vista Hills Shopping Center)
Vehicle 1: 2007 Nissan Altima, 4-Door, Gold
Driver 1: White female, 84 years of age, East El Paso Resident
Vehicle 2: 2007 Ford Mustang, 2-Door, Gray
Driver 2: Hispanic female, 18 years of age, East El Paso Resident
Pedestrian: White male, 77 years of age, Central El Paso Resident

El Paso, Texas – A man was killed after being struck by a car involved in a crash with another vehicle. At 1:23 P.M. El Paso Police Officers responded to a crash involving four cars and a pedestrian at 1840 Lee Trevino. The crash involved a 77-year-old man sitting in a wheelchair/walker who was critically injured. Investigators from the Special Traffic Investigations Unit responded to assist in the investigation.

Investigators found that an 84-year-old woman, was driving a Nissan westbound on the 11000 block of Montwood and turned left at the intersection of Amy Sue towards the Vista Hills Shopping Center. The 84-year-old woman turned in front of a Ford Mustang driven by an 18-year-old woman. The Ford struck the Nissan on the passenger side. The impact caused the Nissan to go east, hit the curb, struck the pedestrian and two parked vehicles. One of the parked vehicles was occupied at the time of the crash.

The 77-year-old man (pedestrian) was taken to the hospital and died shortly after. The 84-year-old driver of the Nissan also went to the hospital for her injuries. The driver of the Mustang, and the occupant of the parked vehicle were not injured.

The preliminary investigation considers Failure to Yield the Right of Way While Making a Left Turn the contributing factor in the crash. The investigation continues at this time. This crash is the 17th traffic fatality of 2023 as compared to 17 at this time last year.

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