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Traffic Fatality on Gateway North and McCombs

Date/Time: 06/21/23 / 2:29PM

Location: 11300 Gateway North / 11400 McCombs

Vehicle 1: 2010 Toyota Scion XB

Driver 1: Daniel Riley Thurman, 19-year-old, El Paso TX Resident
(DECEASED)

Passenger: 18-year-old, El Paso TX Resident
(DECEASED)

Vehicle 2: 2016 Jeep, Patriot

Driver 2: Laneisa Speller, 31-year-old, El Paso TX Resident (Injured)

Passenger: 8-year-old, male, El Paso TX Resident (Injured)

El Paso, Texas - Special Traffic Investigators responded to a collision involving two vehicles at 11300 Gateway North and 11400 McCombs. The preliminary investigation revealed Thurman who was operating a 2010 Toyota Scion on Gateway North approaching the intersection of McCombs ran a red light. At that time Speller was operating a 2016 Jeep Patriot southbound on McCombs. A T-bone collision occurred at which time Thurman and his passenger sustained life threatening injuries. Thurman and his passenger were transported to the hospital and unfortunately both succumbed to their injuries.

The main contributing factor of this collision is running a red light by the driver of the Toyota Scion.

This is the 36th and 37th traffic fatality compared to 38 at this time last year.



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