



INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

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Fatal Accident 2015-1654

On 01-24-15 at 9:56 pm Paradise Valley Police Officers responded to the report of a rollover accident in the 6900 block of E. Lincoln Drive. Officers arrived on scene and determined that a 2004 Dodge Viper had struck the median and rolled over landing on its roof. Witnesses stated the Dodge Viper was travelling eastbound in the curb lane when it swerved striking the median and rolling over. Two westbound vehicles were struck by debris from the rollover accident but the occupants of those vehicles were not injured.

The fire department responded and extricated the driver and passenger of the Dodge Viper. The driver, a 25 year old male, was wearing his seat belt and was transported to the hospital for treatment of his injuries. The driver stated he did not remember how the accident occurred. The passenger, a 24 year old female, was transported to the hospital for treatment but was pronounced deceased at 10:23 pm.

The 6900 block of E. Lincoln Dr. was closed while Officers conducted their investigation. The Paradise Valley Police Department's fatal accident team and General Investigations Bureau responded and assisted with the investigation. Officers from the Department of Public Safety's fatal accident team also responded and assisted with the investigation to get the intersection opened as quickly as possible. Paradise Valley Police Volunteers responded to assist with traffic control.

Upon initial investigation it appears this was a single vehicle rollover accident with no other vehicles involved in the initial crash. At this time the cause of the crash is unknown, but the Paradise Valley Police Department will be following up with this investigation to try to reach a final determination. There are no criminal charges pending at this time. The identities of the driver and passenger will not be released until we are certain the next of kin have been contacted and notified.