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**NEWS
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08/30/2024

39th Traffic Fatality of 2024

Date/Time: 08/29/2024 – 7:50 PM

Location: 12200 Pellicano, El Paso TX

Vehicle 1: 2016 Blue Honda Pilot

Driver: Carmen Najera, 62-year-old, El Paso TX Resident

Passenger: 27-year-old, Female El Paso TX Resident

Pedestrian: Gloria Anthony, 42-year-old, El Paso TX Resident (**Deceased**)

El Paso, Texas – On August 29th, 2024 Special Traffic Investigators responded to a collision involving a pedestrian. The preliminary investigation revealed Najera pulled into a parking lot and exited the vehicle. The vehicle began to roll backward with a passenger inside of the vehicle. At the time Gloria Anthony was crossing Pellicano along with other pedestrians and observed the vehicle rolling backwards. The pedestrians attempted to stop the vehicle, and in the process, Gloria Anthony was knocked down to the ground as the vehicle continued to roll backward. As a result, she was struck by the vehicle and sustained life threatening injuries. Gloria Anthony was transported to the hospital but unfortunately succumbed to her injuries. The investigation continues....

This is the 39th traffic fatality of 2024 compared to 53 in 2023.

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