



PRESS RELEASE

Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department
Traffic Bureau
Accident Investigation Section - Fatal Detail
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REPORTING DETECTIVES: K. Tomaso / T. Jones / W. Refairn
TYPE OF ACCIDENT: Auto / Auto / Auto /Auto/ Fixed Object
LOCATION OF ACCIDENT: Sahara Avenue / Fremont Street
DATE OF ACCIDENT: 05/18/10 **TIME:** 7:50 a.m. **EVENT #:** 100518-0982

Number: 1	Driver: Mitchell, Kirk Address: Henderson, NV Vehicle Information: 2003 Ford Econoline	Injury: Serious Age: 55 Male
Number: 2	Driver: Alesevich, Susan Address: Las Vegas, NV Vehicle Information: 1997 Dodge Caravan	Injury: Minor Age: 67 Female
Number: 3	Driver: Gray, Jessie Address: Las Vegas, NV Vehicle Information: 1997 Toyota Celica	Injury: None Age: 19 Male
Number: 4	Driver: Zavala-Terriquez, Sigifredo Address: Las Vegas, NV Vehicle Information: 1998 Nissan Maxima	Injury: None Age: 67 Male

COLLISION DETAILS:

On May 18, 2010 at approximately 7:50 a.m. a four vehicle / fixed object traffic collision occurred on Sahara Avenue west of Fremont Street. Evidence at the scene and witness statements indicate a 2003 Ford Econoline was traveling eastbound on Sahara Avenue approaching the intersection with Fremont Street. The Ford failed to decrease speed and collided into three vehicles that were stopped at a red light. The Ford continued into the intersection and collided into a signal light pole. The male driver of the Ford was transported to Sunrise Trauma with serious injuries and admitted. It is unknown if the driver suffered from any medical conditions prior to the accident. This collision remains under investigation from the LVMPD Accident Investigation Section.