



PRESS RELEASE

Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department
Traffic Bureau
Collision Investigation Section - Fatal Detail
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Joseph Lombardo, Sheriff

REPORTING DETECTIVES: K. Salisbury / D. Figueroa / M. Contreras / Sgt. P. McCullough
TYPE OF ACCIDENT: Automobile versus Pedestrian
LOCATION OF ACCIDENT: N. Nellis Boulevard at E. Judson Avenue
DATE OF ACCIDENT: 08/18/2020 **TIME:** 9:44 p.m. **EVENT #:** LLV200800077924

Number: 1	Driver: Dye, James	Injury: None
	Address: Las Vegas, NV	Age: 55 Male
	Vehicle Information: 2005 Hyundai Santa Fe	
	Passenger: Dye, Cherylinn	Injury: Minor
	Address: Las Vegas, NV	Age: 53 Female
Number: 2	Pedestrian: Pending Notification	Injury: Fatal
	Address: Las Vegas, NV	Age: 52 Male

COLLISION DETAILS:

On August 18, 2020, at approximately 9:44 p.m., a fatal traffic collision occurred on N. Nellis Boulevard at the intersection with E. Judson Avenue. Evidence at the scene and a witness indicated a 52-year-old pedestrian was attempting to collect scrap metal from the roadway in the intersection. A 2005 Hyundai, driven by 55-year-old James Dye, was traveling southbound on Nellis Boulevard in the middle lane. The right front of the vehicle struck the pedestrian, forcing him to the ground. The pedestrian was not in a crosswalk when he was struck and was pronounced deceased at the scene. Mr. Dye brought the vehicle to a controlled stop and remained at the scene with his passenger. The pedestrian's death marked the 60th traffic-related fatality in the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department's jurisdiction for the year 2020. The collision remains under investigation by the LVMPD Collision Investigation Section. Mr. Dye was not impaired, and excessive speed did not appear to be a factor in the collision.