



# PRESS RELEASE

Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department  
Traffic Bureau  
Collision Investigation Section - Fatal Detail  
702-828-3535

Joseph Lombardo, Sheriff

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**REPORTING DETECTIVES:** D. McCuiston, J. Pearson, N. Hoffman, J. Trail, Sgt. R. Stauffer  
**TYPE OF ACCIDENT:** Auto versus Auto versus Auto  
**LOCATION OF ACCIDENT:** S. Martin Luther King Boulevard at W. Bonanza Road  
**DATE OF ACCIDENT:** 9/20/20      **TIME:** 11:01 AM      **EVENT #:** 200900091200

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<b>Number:</b> 1	<b>Driver:</b> Pending Notification	<b>Injury:</b> Fatal
	<b>Address:</b> Las Vegas, NV	<b>Age:</b> 45 Male
	<b>Vehicle Information:</b> 2004 Chevrolet Suburban	
<b>Number:</b> 2	<b>Driver:</b> Wiggins, Wendell	<b>Injury:</b> head/chest
	<b>Address:</b> Las Vegas, NV	<b>Age:</b> 30 Male
	<b>Vehicle Information:</b> 2018 Nissan Altima	
<b>Number:</b> 3	<b>Driver:</b> Blocks, Monterriion	<b>Injury:</b> Abdomen
	<b>Address:</b> Las Vegas, NV	<b>Age:</b> 28 Male
	<b>Vehicle Information:</b> 2017 BMS 3 Series	

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## COLLISION DETAILS:

On September 20, 2020 at approximately 11:01 AM a three car collision occurred on S. M.L.K. Blvd. at W. Bonanza Rd. A 2018 Nissan Altima was traveling northbound M.L.K. at Bonanza on a fresh green light. A 2017 BMW was traveling to the left of the Nissan Altima. A 2004 Chevrolet Suburban was traveling westbound on Bonanza at M.L.K. The Chevrolet failed to stop for a solid red light resulting in the collision. The front of the Chevrolet struck the right side of the Nissan causing the Nissan to collide with the BMW. All three drivers were transported to UMC Trauma to treat their injuries. Despite all life saving measures, the driver of the Suburban succumbed to his injuries. This collision marks the 70th traffic related fatality in LVMPD's jurisdiction for the year 2020. This collision remains under investigation by the LVMPD's Collision Investigation Section.