



PRESS RELEASE

Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department
Traffic Bureau
Collision Investigation Section - Fatal Detail
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REPORTING DETECTIVES: J. Trail, P. Solomon, D. Figueroa, M. Contreras, N. Hoffman, M. Scanlon, J. Nelson, Sgt. R. Rundell
TYPE OF ACCIDENT: Vehicle versus Bicyclist
LOCATION OF ACCIDENT: North Tenaya Way north of West Centennial Parkway
DATE OF ACCIDENT: 08/14/2023 **TIME:** 6:04 a.m. **EVENT #:** LLV230800048529

Number: 1	Driver: Juvenile	Injury: None
	Address: North Las Vegas, NV	Age: Minor
	Vehicle Information: 2016 Hyundai Elantra	
	Passenger: Unidentified	Injury: Unknown
	Address: Unknown	Age: Unknown
Number: 1	Bicyclist: Pending Notification	Injury: Fatal
	Address: Las Vegas, NV	Age: 64 Male
	Bicycle Information: Black GT Mountain Bike	

COLLISION DETAILS:

On August 14, 2023, at approximately 6:04 a.m., a vehicle versus bicyclist hit-and-run collision occurred on North Tenaya Way, north of Centennial Parkway. Evidence at the scene and witness statements indicated that a bicyclist was riding northbound on Tenaya in the marked bike lane north of Centennial Parkway. A Hyundai was traveling northbound on Tenaya, north of Centennial Parkway, at a presumed high rate of speed, fleeing a separate hit-and-run collision. A collision occurred when the front of the Hyundai collided with the rear of the bicyclist. The bicyclist was projected forward and onto the roadway. The driver of the Hyundai failed to remain at the collision scene and fled the area.

The bicyclist was transported to UMC Trauma by medical personnel with life-threatening injuries. Despite all life-saving measures, the bicyclist succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at UMC Trauma by medical staff.

The Hyundai and its driver were later located. It was determined the Hyundai used in the collision was reported stolen. The driver was associated with several other vehicle thefts throughout the morning. The driver was arrested and booked for all applicable charges.

The bicyclist's death marked the 87th traffic-related fatality in the LVMPD's jurisdiction for 2023. This collision and all associated events remain under investigation by the LVMPD's Collision Investigation Section and North West Area Command's Patrol Investigation Section.