

CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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TRAFFIC CRASH SERIOUS INJURIES

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a traffic crash that occurred on Friday, August 2, 2013 at approximately 8:26 P.M. The crash occurred on State Road 84 at the intersection of Interstate 95 in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that a 2011 Nissan Altima was traveling westbound on State Road 84 approaching the intersection of Interstate 95. The driver of a 2005 Toyota was stopped in the right, westbound through lane of State Road 84, on the bridge over Interstate 95, tending to a flat tire.

Due to the inclimate weather, the driver of the Nissan did not see the stopped vehicle until the last minute. She took an evasive action to avoid the vehicle and inadvertently struck the driver.

The driver of the Nissan Altima has been identified as Aubrey N. Platt, W/F, 06/03/88, a resident of the City of Sunrise.

The driver of the Toyota has been identified as Karim Albert Jahil Afraim, W/M, 12/04/77, a resident of the City of Margate.

As a result of the crash, the driver of the Toyota received serious bodily injuries and was trauma alerted to Broward Health Medical Center, where he is currently listed in critical condition.

This traffic crash remains as an active and on-going investigation.

Anyone with information regarding this traffic crash should contact Traffic Homicide Investigator Goedke at 954-828-5754.

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