

## CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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## TRAFFIC FATALITY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a traffic fatality that occurred at approximately 5:18 A.M. on Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup>. The fatality occurred in the 1600 block of West Sunrise Boulevard in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that a 2000 white Jeep Cherokee was traveling westbound on West Sunrise Boulevard when the vehicle left the roadway and struck a nearby light pole.

The driver has been identified as Jeanne Mathurin, B/F, 11/15/60, a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale. Mathurin was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The passenger in this vehicle was a juvenile who was transported to Broward Health Medical Center, where she remains in critical condition.

This is an active and on-going investigation.

Anyone with information regarding this fatal crash should contact Investigator Russell Brown at 954-828-5754.

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