

## CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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## TRAFFIC CRASH FATALITY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is actively investigating a traffic fatality that occurred on Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at approximately 6:46 P.M. The crash occurred in the 1300 block of Seabreeze Boulevard in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that a gray 2014 Tesla Motors Model S was traveling southbound on Seabreeze Boulevard in the 1300 block when the vehicle drove off the roadway and struck a concrete wall. The vehicle immediately caught on fire, becoming fully engulfed in flames. The speed of which the vehicle was traveling is believed to have been a factor in the traffic crash.

The driver has been identified as Barrett Riley, W/M, 06/04/1999, a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale. The front seat passenger has been identified as Edgar Monserratt Martinez, W/M, 10/08/1999, a resident of the City of Aventura. The driver and front seat passenger were pronounced deceased at the crash scene.

The backseat passenger was ejected from the vehicle on impact and transported to Broward Health Medical Center for treatment. This individual has been identified as Alexander Berry, W/M, 08/17/1999, a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

This is an active investigation.

Anyone who may have witnessed this crash or who has any video footage of this incident is encouraged to contact Traffic Homicide Investigator Paul Williams at 954-828-5755

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