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HIT AND RUN FATALITY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a fatal hit and run that occurred on Wednesday, September 26th at approximately 12:20 AM in the 500 block of West Sunrise Boulevard in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Preliminary investigation has revealed the victim, who was in a wheelchair, was struck by a vehicle in the westbound lanes of Sunrise Boulevard. The driver of the vehicle did not stop to render aid and fled westbound.

The victim was pronounced deceased on scene. Identification is being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Investigators have provided the following description of a possible suspect vehicle: black, older model, Honda sedan with visible damage to the front right end as well as to the windshield.

This is an active and on-going investigation.

Anyone with information regarding this fatal crash is asked to contact Traffic Homicide Investigator J. Hirsch at 954-828-5753.

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