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PRESS RELEASE

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TRAFFIC FATALITY

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a fatal traffic crash that occurred on Saturday, February 22nd, at approximately 11:13 pm. The traffic crash occurred in the 1700 block of West Broward Boulevard within the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Preliminary investigation has revealed a 2003, tan, Mercury Grand Marquis was traveling westbound in the 1700 block of West Broward Boulevard, when it veered from the travel lanes and struck a tree adjacent to the north side of the roadway. The driver of the vehicle was pronounced deceased at the scene. There were no other occupants in the vehicle.

The driver has been identified as Charles Deas, B/M, DOB 10/03/1966, a resident of the City of Dania Beach.

This is an active and on-going investigation. At this time, investigators do not believe any other vehicles were involved in this incident.

Anyone with information regarding this fatal traffic crash is encouraged to contact Traffic Homicide Investigator Paul Williams at (954) 828-5755.

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