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TRAFFIC CRASH
(Vehicle v. Bicyclist)

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a traffic crash between a vehicle and a bicycle. The accident occurred on February 5th, 2009, at approximately 06:37 P.M. in the 1900 block of Northwest 20 Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Preliminary investigation has revealed a 2002 Nissan, operated by a Fort Lauderdale resident, Rebecca Hines, was traveling eastbound on Northwest 19th Street in the 2000 block. A witness on scene stated he observed a black male riding a bicycle that was carrying a second black male. As they attempted to cross Northwest 19th Street, the Nissan struck them when they rode into the path of the vehicle.

Both victims were transported to Broward General Medical Center and treated for their injuries. Their names are being withheld, as they are both fourteen years old.

This investigation continues.

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