

Placerville Police News Release



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PEDESTRIAN STRUCK BY A VEHICLE IN A HIT AND RUN COLLISION ON BROADWAY DRIVE

NEWS RELEASE

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Placerville, CA – On April 23rd, 2021 at approximately 8:31 pm, Placerville Police dispatch received multiple reports of a vehicle that had struck a pedestrian in the 1800 block of Broadway Drive. It was reported that the vehicle had initially stopped, but sped away, traveling eastbound on Broadway Drive. The vehicle was described as a dark colored sedan.

When Placerville Police Officers arrived on scene they located the pedestrian and started life saving efforts. The pedestrian had suffered major injuries and once medics arrived, he was immediately taken to a local hospital. Despite heroic efforts by police officers, firefighters, paramedics, and emergency room staff, the pedestrian succumbed to his injuries.

The identity is being withheld until next of kin can be notified by the El Dorado County Coroner's Office.

Placerville Police Investigators were called to the scene and are actively investigating and following leads. The driver involved in this incident is encouraged to contact law enforcement and cooperate with this investigation.

The Placerville Police Department would like to extend our appreciation to the El Dorado County Fire Department, El Dorado County EMS, California Highway Patrol, El Dorado County Sheriff's Office and the Emergency Department staff at Marshall Hospital.

Anyone with information regarding this investigation is asked to contact the Placerville Police Department at (530) 642-5210.

