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*****For Immediate Release*****

Media Release Fatality Motorcycle vs Car Collision

Date: 4/3/19

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Incident: 19C05451

Location: So 34th Ave/Ahtanum Rd

Date: 4/2/19

Narrative: At about 7PM at the above location, Patrick Swearngin, 31 YOA from Yakima, was driving a 2015 Chevy Equinox and was northbound on So 34th Ave. He had stopped at the stop sign at the intersection at Ahtanum Rd.

Andrew Ozuna, 30 YOA from Zilliah, was riding a 2017 Yamaha YZRF6 motorcycle eastbound on Ahtanum Rd.

As Patrick was pulling out onto Ahtanum Rd, making a left turn to go westbound, Andrew's motorcycle struck the driver's door of the Equinox.

The motorcycle sustained heavy damage to the front. There was heavy damage to the driver's side of the Equinox.

Andrew was pronounced deceased at the scene. He was wearing a helmet at the time of the collision.

Patrick was not injured nor was his female passenger.

Seat belts were being worn.

There is no indication of any intoxicants or impairments currently.

The collision of still under investigation by the Yakima County Sheriff's Office Traffic Section.



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Notifications to family members has been completed.