



BREA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Fatal Traffic Collision

Brea, Calif. - On March 20, 2023, at approximately 8:01 p.m., officers were dispatched to the area of Carbon Canyon Rd. east of Olinda Village, for a major traffic collision. Arriving officers discovered that two vehicles had collided head-on.

The driver of one vehicle sustained major injuries and died at the scene.

The driver and passenger in the other vehicle suffered non-life-threatening injuries and were transported to local hospitals for treatment.

The Brea Police Department's Traffic Division is investigating the cause of the collision. Anybody with information about the collision should contact Sergeant Edgar Padilla at (714) 671-4475.

The identity of the deceased driver will be released by the Orange County Coroner's Office after notification of next of kin.

For all press inquiries contact Public Information Officer, Lieutenant Chris Harvey at (714) 990-7744 or charvey@cityofbrea.net.

On behalf of the entire Brea Police Department, we send our deepest condolences to the friends and family of the deceased driver.

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