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### **Media Release**

#### **Driver Killed in Single Vehicle Rollover Accident Containing Nine Passengers Near Lake Mead**

On Wednesday June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 at approximately 1814 hours (6:14pm), a Gray Lincoln Navigator sport utility vehicle (SUV), was traveling northbound on Northshore Road, near Mile Post 42, at the Lake Mead National Recreation Area.

Preliminary investigation indicates the vehicle traveled off the east roadway edge and entered the unimproved dirt shoulder. The vehicle traveled back to the left, re-entering the northbound travel lane and then back to the right again traveling off the east roadway edge, re-entering the unimproved dirt shoulder, in a northeasterly direction.

The vehicle rotated counter clockwise, furrowed-in and overturned down a dirt embankment, east of the roadway.

Several of the occupants were ejected, including the driver, whom sustained fatal injuries as a result, and was pronounced dead at the scene. The other occupants, some being minor children, were all transported to local hospitals, with non life threatening injuries.

**\*\*Distracted Driving is Dangerous! Always Pay Attention to the Road!\*\***

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