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## Media Release

## **Serious Bicycle Accident in Gardnerville**

On June 28, 2011 at approximately 1:30 hours, Nevada Highway Patrol was dispatched to a serious bicycle accident in Gardnerville at industrial way.

The preliminary accident investigation details indicate that a juvenile riding a bicycle was traveling southbound on US 395 in the center turn lane. For unknown reason the juvenile crossed into the southbound travel lanes striking a Department of Transportation vehicle driven by Ed Shope. The juvenile sustained serious injuries and was transported to Renown Regional Medical Center by Care Flight and is still being treated.

Anyone who may have witnessed the collision, or who can provide additional information, is encouraged to contact Department of Public Safety-Communications Center @ (775) 687-0400 regarding case # NHP-1106281098.

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