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Media Release

One Dead After Two Vehicles Collide in Las Vegas

On Saturday, January 28, 2012, at approximately 5:00 a.m., troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to an accident on Hafen Lane and State Route 170.

The preliminary crash investigation details reveal a 1996 green Chrysler van, being driven by 49 year old Robert W. McGrew of Las Vegas, was traveling westbound on Hafen Lane approaching intersection with SR-170 at Riverside road. A white 2007 Autocar garbage truck was traveling northbound on SR-170 approaching the intersection on Hafen Lane.

Robert McGrew failed to yield at the intersection and proceeded to enter the intersection at the same time as the Autocar. The front of the Autocar struck the left side of the Chrysler van pushing both vehicles northbound onto SR-170.

Robert McGrew was pronounced dead at the scene. The driver of the Autocar was not injured.

The intersection remained closed until 1:00 pm.

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