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### Media Release

#### **Motorcyclist Killed in Crash on US 50 Near Martin Dr. in Zephyr Cove**

On Saturday, June 13, 2015 at approximately 8:00 p.m., Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to a vehicle versus a motorcycle that occurred on US 50 near Martin Drive in Zephyr Cove, NV.

The preliminary crash investigation details indicate a 2015 silver Nissan Versa driven by 31 year old Alma J. Jaramillo-Garcia of Moxee WA, was traveling eastbound on US 50 in the left lane. For unknown reasons Miss Jaramillo-Garcia failed to maintain her travel lane and drifted into the westbound lanes. At the same time a 2015 blue Harley-Davidson motorcycle ridden by 53 Amber R. Hallmark of Antioch, CA was traveling westbound on US 50 in the left travel lane. Miss Jaramillo-Garcia's Nissan struck the motorcycle in the westbound left lane with its left front. The collision ejected Miss Hallmark from her motorcycle. Miss Hallmark and her motorcycle traveled approximately 75 feet before coming to rest on the north paved shoulder. She was pronounced deceased at the scene. Miss Hallmark was wearing a safety helmet at the time of the collision.

Miss Jaramillo-Garcia stopped her vehicle after the collision and complied with law enforcement officials on scene. Miss Jaramillo-Garcia was transported to Barton Memorial Hospital with minor injuries. Inattention and/or Impairment is being investigated as a contributing factor is this fatal crash. Inattention and/or Impairment is being investigated as a contributing factor is this fatal crash.

The westbound lanes were shut down with traffic control directed by NDOT for several hours while the crash scene was diagramed and investigated. This area of US 50 is two lanes in each direction with a no passing double yellow line separating. The speed limit is 45 mph with no roadway lighting in this area.

Trooper Chris Kelly of the Nevada Highway Patrol's Multi-Disciplinary Investigation and Reconstruction Team is investigating this incident. Anyone who may have witnessed this incident or who may have information related to this incident is encouraged to reach out to him at (775) 684-4661 or [ckelly@dps.state.nv.us](mailto:ckelly@dps.state.nv.us) regarding case number NHP-150601169.

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