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### **Media Release**

#### **Pedestrian Succumbs to Injuries after Being Struck on Spring Mountain Road**

On Thursday, September 22, 2016 at approximately 11:42 p.m., Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to an accident on Spring Mountain Road concerning a pedestrian..

The preliminary investigation details indicate that a white 2015 Toyota Scion XB taxi was eastbound on Spring Mountain Road in the right travel lane approaching the Mel Torme Way intersection. The taxi had a green light and proceeded eastbound towards the intersection. A male pedestrian on a bicycle was traveling from the north side of Spring Mountain to the south in a marked crosswalk. The pedestrian disregarded the “No Walk” signal and rode into the path of the taxi resulting in a collision. The male pedestrian was ejected from the bicycle and transported to University Medical Center – Trauma with life threatening injuries.

On Friday, September 23, 2016, the pedestrian succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at UMC.

The pedestrian was identified as 49 year old Vincent Foster from Las Vegas, Nevada. The male taxi driver stayed on scene and cooperated with the investigation. The taxi did not have any passengers onboard and the driver was not issued a traffic citation.

This marks the Nevada Highway Patrol-Southern Command’s 49th fatal crash resulting in 53 fatalities for 2016.

For further information, you can contact either Trooper Chelsea Stuenkel at 702-469-3882 or Trooper Jason Buratczuk at 702-533-6808.

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