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Media Release

Susanville Resident Killed in Single Occupant Vehicular Crash in North Reno

On Monday, February 1, 2016 at approximately 2:15 p.m., Troopers from the Nevada Highway Patrol were dispatched to a single vehicle crash that occurred on US 395 southbound just south of the North McCarran overpass.

The preliminary crash investigation details indicate that 30 year old Susanville CA, resident John Abraham was driving a 2004 silver Honda Civic southbound on US 395 approaching the North McCarran overpass. Abraham lost control of the vehicle causing it to rotate. From the inside paved shoulder, the Honda crossed all lanes of travel and with its drivers side struck a light pole that was mounted in the west dirt shoulder. Due to impact with the light pole, the Honda then rotated and came to rest on its wheels down a dirt embankment between US395 and the southbound US395 onramp from North McCarran.

Abraham succumbed to his injuries sustained during the course of the crash and was pronounced deceased at a local area hospital.

Both southbound lanes of US395 were closed for a short time during investigation. This area of US395 is two lanes in each direction and the speed limit is 65 mph.

Abraham was wearing his seatbelt at the time of the crash. The road conditions at the time of the crash were noted as being dry.

Trp. Bradford 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) 688-2500 or Michael.bradford@dps.state.nv.us regarding case number NHP-160200102.



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