



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: 01/06/2020

Traffic Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 01/06/2020

Time: 12:40pm

Location of Offense/Incident: Alum Creek Dr. / Winslow Dr.

Zone: 3

Precinct: 13

Incident Report #: 200014965

Cruiser District: 130

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**Incident Summary:** On January 6, 2020 at approximately 12:40pm, Marian R. Hughes (27 years old, of Columbus) was a passenger on a COTA bus that was southbound on Alum Creek Dr. Ms. Hughes exited the bus at the bus stop just south of Winslow Dr. At this same time, Gevorg Hunanyan was operating a pickup truck southbound on Alum Creek Dr. just south of Winslow Dr. He was in the left southbound lane as he approached the stopped COTA bus. Immediately upon exiting from the COTA bus Ms. Hughes attempted to cross Alum Creek Dr. by walking directly in front of the COTA bus. Upon stepping into the left southbound lane Ms. Hughes was struck by Mr. Hunanyan's vehicle. Ms. Hughes suffered serious injuries and was transported to the Ohio Health Grant Medical Center by Columbus Fire Medic M815.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded and initiated an investigation, which is ongoing.

At Grant Hospital Ms. Hughes was treated by Dr. Ryan Lucero. Ms. Hughes succumbed to her injuries and was pronounced dead at 1:23pm.

This is the first traffic crash fatality in Columbus in 2020.

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