



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

Date:

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 3-9-2025

Time: 5:20 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: Scioto Darby Creek Rd and Woodson Dr

Zone: 3

Precinct: 15

Incident Report #: 250164006

Cruiser District: 154

Victim: Katelan Phares	Sex: F	Race: W	Age: 24
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Incident Summary:
 On 3-9-25 at approximately 5:20 PM, a BMW S1000RR motorcycle driven by Ms. Katelan Phares traveling eastbound on Scioto Darby Creek Rd. failed to navigate a left hand curve and lost control of the motorcycle. After losing control of the motorcycle, laying the bike on the left side of the motorcycle and slid into a guardrail. Ms. Phares was ejected from the motorcycle with the motorcycle laying on top of her. Ms. Phares was transported to Riverside Methodist Hospital in critical condition by CFD Medic 30. Ms. Phares was later pronounced deceased at 6:08 PM by the staff at Riverside Methodist Hospital Staff.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation which is ongoing.

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