



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Homicide Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

Date: 01/17/2026

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Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 01/17/2026

Time: 4:37 am

Location of Offense/Incident: E Broad St & Reynolds Crossing Dr

Zone: 2

Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 260038498 AIU-6-26

Cruiser District: 141

Victim: Adult	Sex:	Race:	Age:
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Suspect:	Address:			
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**Incident Summary:** On 01/17/26 at approximately 4:37 am, an adult pedestrian was crossing East Broad Street, west of the intersection with Reynolds Crossing Drive. At the same time, a black BMW X3 was traveling westbound on East Broad Street. Vehicular traffic on East Broad Street had a green light. The BMW X3 struck the crossing pedestrian. The pedestrian was transported to an area hospital to receive treatment, but was later pronounced deceased. The driver of the BMW X3 stayed at the scene of the crash and was uninjured.

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

Any person with knowledge of the involved vehicle or driver is encouraged to contact the Accident Investigation Unit at (614) 645-4767. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may contact Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-8477.

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