

Media Information

Columbus Division of Police Homicide Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Date: 12/24/2023

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Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash Date: 12/23/2023 Time: 11:17 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: W. Lane Ave & Carmack Rd Zone: 4 Precinct: 4

Incident Report #: 230978139 Cruiser District: 43

| Victim: Juvenile #1 | | Sex: | Race: | Age: |
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| Victim: Juvenile #2 | | Sex: | Race: | Age: |
| Victim: | | Sex: | Race: | Age: |
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| Suspect: | | Address: | | |
| ☐ Arrested | d Warrant on File | Sex: | Race: | Age: |
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| Incident Summary: On 12/23/2023 at approximately 11:17 p.m. a red, 2017 Chevrolet Cruze was traveling northbound on Carmack Road approaching the W. Lane Avenue intersection. The Chevrolet failed to stop for a red traffic light at the intersection and struck a gray, 2023 Honda HR-V which had entered the same intersection traveling eastbound. Juvenile Victim #1 and Juvenile Victim #2, passengers from the involved Chevrolet, were pronounced dead at the scene at 11:33 p.m. by responding EMS. Three other occupants from the Chevrolet were transported to local hospitals with minor injuries and were expected to survive. The driver and passenger from the involved Honda were also transported to local hospitals with minor injuries and were also expected to survive. | | | | |
| The Accident | Investigation Unit respon | nded to the scene and init | iated an investigati | on which is ongoing. |
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Assignment: AIU 610C

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