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One Airlifted After Car Slams Into Back of Bus Carrying Over a Dozen Occupants

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VICTORVILLE – One was airlifted and two were transported by ground ambulance after a green Honda Civic slammed into the back of a Victor Valley Transit bus on Wednesday.

At around 12:22 p.m. Victorville Station deputies, the San Bernardino County Fire Department personnel, and AMR responded to the area of La Mesa and El Rio Roads for the report of a traffic collision. When they arrived, they located the bus and the Honda. “The call states there were 13 on the bus and 7 had a complaint of pain,” said San Bernardino County Sheriff’s Spokeswoman Cindy Bachman.

The driver of the Honda sustained minor injuries and the passenger was transported to Liberty Park by ground ambulance in preparation to be airlifted to a trauma center for treatment of major injuries.

The **San Bernardino County Fire Department** Spokesman Captain Dan Nelson told a 24/7 Headline News reporter that the 68-year-old passenger was a backseat passenger, who was not wearing a seatbelt at the time of the collision. Both driver and passenger were transported to the same hospital so that they can be together.

One passenger on the bus was transported to a local hospital for the complaint of pain. Authorities said that the driver of the Honda was driving over the speed limit at the time of the crash.

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Hesperia Residents Invited To Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting

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Hesperia, Calif. – The City of Hesperia is in the process of updating the five-year Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) and is inviting participation from the community. The HMP, approved by CalOES and FEMA, identifies hazards and mitigation potential within the City and will serve as a blueprint for reducing property damage and saving lives as a result of future natural disasters.

In addition to preparedness, this plan is necessary to ensure that the City of Hesperia is eligible to receive federal grants and/or aid related to a natural disaster.

The City welcomes participation and input in the update of the hazard mitigation plan.

Interested parties can attend the HMP stakeholder meeting on Monday, January 9th 2017, from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in the Police Community Room located at 15840 Smoke Tree Street, Hesperia, CA 92345.

Stakeholders can also weigh-in by completing a short survey designed to gather input about locations in Hesperia that may be vulnerable to natural disasters; the survey can be found by visiting <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/mitigationplan>.

Survey results will help to identify and coordinate projects focused on reducing the risk of injury or damage to property from future hazard events (e.g. wildfires, floods, earthquakes).

For more information, please contact rmolina@cityofhesperia.us.

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FedEx Driver Ejected from Truck After a Car Runs Stop Sign

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A Chevrolet driver allegedly ran a stop sign at high speeds, causing him to hit a FedEx truck.

VICTORVILLE, Calif. (VVNG.com) A FedEx employee sustained minor injuries after he was ejected from his truck Tuesday afternoon.

The incident occurred at the intersection of Ottawa Road and Second Ave at approximately 1:50 p.m.

The FedEx driver was traveling eastbound on Ottawa Road going through the intersection of Second Avenue when a male driver, traveling southbound on Second Avenue in a 2014 Chevrolet Sonic, allegedly ran the 2-way stop at high speeds.

The courier truck driver did not have a stop sign in his direction of travel and told Victor Valley News, “the guy went fast through the stop sign, enough to push this big truck over the side, and it caused me to get thrown from my truck.”

“I sprang up as soon as I got ejected and I was thankful there was a small dirt hill so I didn’t get crushed by the truck,” he said.

The driver of the Chevrolet sustained cuts to his arm and was transported to Desert Valley Medical Center for a medical evaluation.

The driver of the FedEx truck was treated on scene by medical personnel and sustained minor scrapes and a stiff neck.

The accident is currently under investigation by the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department Victorville Station.



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