

Woman fatally struck by vehicle while walking on Bear Valley Road in Hesperia

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A woman fatally struck by a vehicle as she walked along Bear Valley Road on Monday night in Hesperia.

A woman was killed by a vehicle while she walked along Hesperia's Bear Valley Road, according to sheriff's officials.

Around 11:15 p.m. Monday, deputies and **San Bernardino County Fire** personnel responded to the incident near the intersection of Second Avenue and Bear Valley Road.

When first responders arrived, they found the body of a woman in the east lanes of Bear Valley Road. She died at the scene, deputies said.

The preliminary investigation showed the woman was crossing Bear Valley Road when she was hit by an eastbound Lexus I250 driven by Jose Elizalda, 52, of Hesperia. The driver stayed on the scene and cooperated with investigators. At this time, it does not appear drugs or alcohol were a factor in this crash, deputies said.

A secondary crash occurred when a vehicle, avoiding the woman's body in the roadway, was rear-ended and rolled over. No injuries were reported in that collision, sheriff's officials said.

Eastbound lanes of Bear Valley Road near the scene were closed for several hours while the Hesperia Major Accident Investigation Team processed the scene.

The San Bernardino County Sheriff-Coroner's Office has not released the identity of the woman pending notification of next of kin.

Witnesses or anyone with information about the collision are encouraged to call the Hesperia Station at (760) 947-1500. Callers wishing to remain anonymous can contact We-Tip at 800-78CRIME or wetip.com.

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