



Colton Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Fatal Traffic Collision

Date of Incident: 08/22/2025
Time of Incident: 9:25 PM
Location of Incident: 800 block of North Rancho Avenue, Colton, CA
From: Sergeant Michael Sandoval
Decedent: Robert Anderson, 65-year-old male, resident of Colton, CA
Case Number: 25-04510

COLTON, CA.— On August 22, 2025, at approximately 9:25 PM, the Colton Police Department Communications Center received reports of a traffic collision near the intersection of North Rancho Avenue and West “B” Street in the City of Colton. Upon arrival, officers discovered a pedestrian had been struck by a 2011 Ford Escape while attempting to cross the street. The pedestrian was transported to a local hospital, where he later succumbed to his injuries. The driver of the Ford Escape was uninjured and cooperated with the investigation.

The Colton Police Department’s Major Accident Investigation Team (MAIT) responded to the scene and is conducting the investigation. The cause of the collision is currently under investigation.

Anyone that witnessed or has information regarding the collision is encouraged to contact Officer Alyssa Jacobson at (909) 370-5000 or via email (ajacobson@coltonca.gov). If you wish to remain anonymous you can contact the We-Tip hotline at 1-800-78-crime or visit <http://www.wetip.com>.

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