



Pembroke Pines Police Department



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MEDIA RELEASE

ASSIGNED PIO: Sergeant Adam Feiner

PPPD CASE NUMBER: PPPD17OFF002389

DATE: 01.11.2017

TIME: 1:55 PM

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: 16835 Sheridan Street (Broward County SW Regional Library)

CHARGE/INCIDENT: Traffic Crash

SUSPECT(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

- 1) N/A
- 2)

VICTIM(S) - NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:

- 1) Sandy S. Rose, 63, 09.27.2953, B/M, 2718 SW 177 Avenue, Miramar, FL 33029
- 2) Joan E. Rose, 61, 04.27.1955, B/F, 2718 SW 177 Avenue, Miramar, FL 33029

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

On Wednesday, January 11, 2017, at 1:55 pm, Members of the Pembroke Pines Police and Fire Departments responded to a vehicle that plunged into a body of water at the listed location.

Preliminary investigation revealed Victim #1 was the driver of a 2004 Toyota Highlander, and Victim #2 was the front passenger. It appears likely the driver suffered an apparent medical complication, and lost control of the vehicle while travelling through a parking lot. This action caused the vehicle to deviate from the asphalt, mount several cement curbs, travel down an embankment, and ultimately enter a body of water.

Three witnesses, and responding police officers actively tried to remove the occupants from the submerged vehicle, but were unable to safely do so. Within minutes, members of the Pembroke Pines Police Dive Team recovered both occupants who were immediately transported for medical attention.

Despite all life-saving efforts, Victim #2 was declared deceased when she arrived at Memorial Miramar Hospital. Victim #1 remains in critical condition.

Additional information will be provided when it becomes available.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact the Pembroke Pines Police Department at 954-431-2200, email to tips@ppines.com, or call Crimestoppers at 954-493-TIPS.



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