NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Serious Injury Hit and Run Investigation FATALITY

Location: Thompson Bl West of Kalorama St

Date/Time Occurred: 5-16-19 2255 hrs

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol and Traffic

Suspect(s): Unknown

Report #: 19-34776

Narrative:

UPDATE:

On May 19th the Ventura County Coroner’s Office informed the Ventura Police Department that the female pedestrian that was struck by the hit and run vehicle succumbed to her injuries.

The Ventura Police Department is asking for the public’s help in locating the suspect vehicle. The vehicle is described as a white 1997-2002 Ford Econoline panel van with damage to the front left corner. Attached is a similar model indicating where the damage would be.

If anyone has any information about this incident, please contact Officer Bevan at 805-339-4447.

On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Command Center received a call of a hit and run collision that had occurred on Thompson Bl west of Kalorama St. Officers arrived on scene and located an unresponsive female in the roadway being tended to by citizens.

The investigation revealed that the female pedestrian was crossing the roadway northbound on Thompson Bl midblock. A vehicle travelling westbound struck the pedestrian in the roadway and fled the scene without checking on the condition of the pedestrian. Identifiable parts of the vehicle that struck the pedestrian were located at the location of the collision.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to $1,000.
The pedestrian was treated by the Ventura City Fire Department and transported to Ventura County Medical Center where she remains in critical condition and is not expected to survive. This is an ongoing investigation and anyone who has information about this collision is asked to contact Officer Bevan at 805-339-4447.