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*****For Immediate Release*****

Media Release Two vehicle Fatality Collision

Date: 3/29/22

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Incident: 22C04751

Location: Fort Road and Becker Road

Date: 3/28/22

Narrative:

On the evening of 3/28/22 around 7:20 PM, The Yakima County Sheriff's Office, Yakama Nation Police, Lower Valley District 4 Fire Department and other agencies responded to a report of a two-vehicle collision at the intersection of Fort Road and Becker Road on the Yakama Indian Reservation.

When responders arrived, they found a red 2011 Mitsubishi Galant and a silver Ford Mustang off the northwest corner of the intersection.

Responders found that there was a 33-year-old female who was deceased in the right front passenger seat. There was a 30-year-old female in the back seat who had critical injuries. The driver was a 36-year-old female who also had extensive injuries. The two females were transported to Yakima Memorial Hospital via ambulance. All three of the females are enrolled Yakama Nation members.

The Mitsubishi was being operated by a 30 year old male from Toppenish and there were three children with him. The children were not seriously hurt. The driver at last report was still at the hospital in Toppenish.



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Investigation shows that the Mustang was travelling north on Becker Rd and failed to stop at the posted stop sign at Fort Rd. The Galant was travelling west on Fort Rd and had the right of way.

The Galant struck the right front passenger door of the Mustang.

The Yakama Nation Police are handling this case. Any further inquiries should be directed to them at 509-865-2933.