



## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**TYPE OF CRIME:** Fatal Traffic Collision

**CASE NUMBER:**05-071-1170

**LOCATION:** 130 Rio Robles West

**DATE:** 3-12-05 **TIME:** 9:56PM

**VICTIM:** Virgilio Rivera

**AGE:** 54yrs.

**ADDRESS:** San Jose Resident

### **DETAILS:**

On 3-12-05 AT 9:56PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a single vehicle traffic collision In front of 130 Rio Robles West. On arrival, officers found an unconscious male seated in the driver's seat. Paramedics responded and pronounced the victim dead at the scene.

Preliminary investigation indicates that the victim was driving a 1990 silver Mazda 626 southbound on Rio Robles West. The Victim's vehicle ran off the roadway hitting a tree along the west curbline. Investigators believe that speed may have contributed to this collision and are continuing their investigation.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Investigator Denise Escobar of the San Jose Police Dept's Vehicular Crimes Unit at (408) 277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP.

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PRESS OFFICER BRIEFED BY UNIT COMMANDER (CIRCLE) **YES** NO