Fatality Accident Investigation

On November 3, 2011 at approximately 9:30am, Sheriff’s Office deputies responded to a one-vehicle accident in the 20700 block of Yew Way, Snohomish. Upon arrival, deputies discovered a yellow Dodge pick-up truck off the roadway and down an embankment. One subject was located in the vehicle and was deceased when deputies arrived. Preliminary information indicates the vehicle was traveling southbound on Yew Way when it left the roadway, struck several trees, and rolled down an embankment. The occupant of the vehicle is an adult male.

The Sheriff’s Office Collision Investigation Unit is currently conducting an accident investigation.

FOLLOW UP – FATALITY ACCIDENT

Preliminary investigation by Collision Investigation Unit detectives has determined that speed and alcohol were most likely contributing factors in this accident. The victim, a 52 year old resident of Snohomish, has previous driving under the influence (DUI) history. He was required to have an interlock device attached to his vehicle; none was located by detectives. The identity of the victim will be made by the Snohomish County Medical Examiner’s Office.

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