

Pima County Sheriff's Department

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Mark D. Napier, Sheriff

Arrest Made in Report of Collision

July 1, 2020

On June 30, 2020, at about 4:15 p.m., deputies responded to the 7800 block of West Dos Rotundo Rd. for a report of a collision. Upon arrival, they discovered that a box truck towing an enclosed trailer had driven through a chain link residential fence and collided into a private residence. An adult male with obvious signs of trauma, which did not appear to be consistent with injuries from a traffic collision, was beside the moving van. Deputies immediately attempted life saving measures, but the male was pronounced deceased on scene.

Detectives responded to the scene and began an investigation that revealed that the deceased male was the driver of the box truck and had been involved in an altercation with the passenger of the vehicle prior to the collision with the residence.

The deceased male has been identified as 39-year-old Matthew Hosford.

The passenger, 33-year-old Michael Stewart Jr., was arrested and charged with First Degree Murder.

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