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NORTH CAROLINA MAN DIES WEEKS AFTER SINGLE VEHICLE CAR ACCIDENT

SUFFOLK, Virginia (August 29, 2019) A North Carolina man has died several weeks after a single vehicle accident that occurred on westbound Route 58 at the Franklin Bypass near Route 189. Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the single vehicle accident that occurred at approximately 6:20 p.m. on Sunday, August 4, 2019.

The vehicle, a 2002 Toyota Highlander, left the roadway and impacted trees in the area. The driver, Vernon Freeman, age 67, of Tarboro, North Carolina, received emergency medical assessment and treatment by Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel and was ground transported to a local hospital for further treatment.

He succumbed to his injuries Wednesday evening, August 28, 2019.

The investigation remains ongoing at this time.

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