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POLICE INVESTIGATING ACCIDENT CAROLINA ROAD

SUFFOLK, VA (August 7, 2017) Suffolk Police are currently on the scene of an accident involving a cyclist that was struck by a vehicle in the 3400 block of Carolina Road.

Emergency Communications was made aware of the accident at 1:06 p.m. involving a juvenile male on a bicycle that was struck by a Ford F-150 pick-up truck. The driver remained on scene.

The juvenile, believed to be between the ages of 12 and 15, received emergency medical assessment and treatment by Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel prior to being airlifted Sentara Norfolk General Hospital suffering from injuries believed to be non-life threatening. A family member responded to the scene.

Upon preliminary investigation it was determined that the juvenile was attempting to cross the roadway at the intersection of Cypress Chapel Road and Carolina Road when the incident occurred.

The 3400 block of Carolina Road was closed immediately following the accident, and Officers are currently on scene alternating traffic at this time.

The accident remains under investigation.

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