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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (September 30, 2014) The victim in this afternoon's fatal accident has been identified as Albert Allan Helms, age 60, of Suffolk.

The affected roadway reopened to all traffic earlier this evening. The cause of the accident remains under investigation.

FATAL ACCIDENT INVOLVING CYCLIST

SUFFOLK, VA (September 30, 2014) Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded earlier this afternoon to an accident involving a bicyclist and a Ford pick-up truck.

The accident occurred at 12:57 p.m. in the 1400 block of Holland Road.

The male cyclist received emergency medical assessment and treatment by Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel prior to being ground transported to Sentara Obici Hospital where he was then airlifted to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital. The patient later

succumbed to his injuries. The name of the victim is being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

The eastbound 1400 block of Holland Road remains closed at this time as the investigation is ongoing.

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