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## **UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 11, 2017) Suffolk Police advise that the Medical Examiner's Office has confirmed the identity of the victim from Monday morning's fatal accident as Drew Alexander Miller, age 17, of Suffolk.

The cause of the accident remains under investigation.

## **UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 9, 2017) Suffolk Police advise that based on vehicle registration and preliminary investigative information notification has been made to the next of kin in this morning's fatal single vehicle accident.

Due to the nature of the victim's injuries, the body has been transported to the Medical Examiner's Office so that an autopsy can be performed in order to officially confirm the victim's identity. Based on these circumstances, the name of the victim is being withheld at this time.

The cause of the accident remains under investigation and no further information is currently available.

## **UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 9, 2017) Suffolk Police advise that the male driver was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The investigation remains ongoing at this time and additional information will be provided when available.

### **SINGLE VEHICLE ACCIDENT NORTHGATE COMMERCE PARKWAY**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 9, 2017) Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel are currently on the scene of a single vehicle accident in the 2000 block of Northgate Commerce Parkway. Emergency Communications received the call at 8:28 a.m. notifying of the accident involving a pick-up that collided with a parked, empty tractor trailer container and then caught fire.

Crews were able to quickly extinguish the fire upon arrival. Responding units included Engines 5 and 10, Ladder 5, Battalion 2, Safety 1, Medics 5 and 10, Tanker 9, and the Fire Marshal.

The traffic fatality investigation team is handling the investigation. Additional information will be provided when it becomes available.

Due to the location of the accident traffic in this area is not affected.

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