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Detectives continue investigating two fatal weekend collisions

EVERETT – Detectives with the Traffic Safety Unit continue investigating two fatal weekend collisions in Everett.

Just after 9 p.m. on Friday night, officers responded to reports of a man walking in traffic along southbound SR-529 near the Snohomish River Bridge. Arriving officers discovered the man, believed to be in his early 30's, had been struck and killed by a Mazda sedan. The female driver, also in her 30's, remained at the scene and cooperated with the investigation. Southbound SR-529 was closed for three hours while detectives investigated.

Just before 7 p.m. on Sunday night, officers responded to a collision in the 11200 block of Evergreen Way between a Suzuki motorcycle and a Honda Civic. Initial accounts indicate the Civic struck the motorcycle as it changed lanes. The rider, in his mid-20's, was thrown and died at the scene. The driver of the Civic, in his early 20's, remained at the scene and cooperated with the investigation. Southbound Evergreen Way was closed for almost three hours during the investigation.

In both collisions, the Snohomish County Medical Examiner's Office took custody of the deceased to determine cause and manner of death. The Examiner's Office will release identity after the individual families are notified.

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