## Media Release

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## 55-Year-Old Bicyclist Struck & Killed in Aberdeen

Aberdeen, MD – The Aberdeen Police Department responded to a collision involving a bike and a passenger car that left a 55-year-old man fatally injured.

On Monday, March 20, 2023, at approximately 9:36 pm, officers were dispatched to the area of US Rt. 40 eastbound around Short Lane for a reported collision between a car and a bicyclist. Arriving officers discovered James K. Blevins, a 55-year-old male, suffering from severe injuries and being treated by medics. Based on the severity of the injuries, Mr. Blevins was transported by Maryland State Police Medevac to the University of Maryland Hospital Shock Trauma Unit for treatment.

The striking vehicle and a 25-year-old driver remained on the scene after the collision. The car was found with visible damage to the hood and windshield.

Based on the severity of the injuries sustained by the bicyclist, the Harford County Sheriff's Office Accident Reconstruction Unit was requested to respond to the scene and assist in the investigation.

On Tuesday, March 21, 2023, at approximately 7:24 am, the bicyclist, James K. Blevins, succumbed to his injuries.

No criminal charges have been filed at this time. However, the investigation remains active and ongoing.

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