

Fatal Crash Follow-up

New York Ave and Fairview NE

MPD description of crash from [press release](#):

Preliminary investigation revealed that at approximately 12:17 am, a motorcycle was travelling at an apparent high rate of speed and struck a passenger vehicle at listed location. DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services responded to the scene and determined the driver of the motorcycle displayed no signs of life. The driver was pronounced dead on the scene and transported to the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

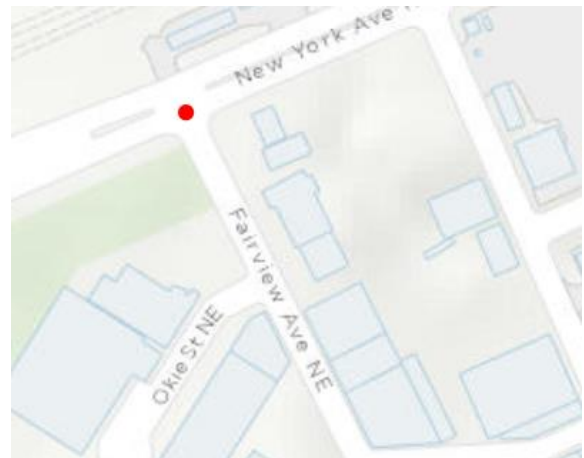
Crash information (Source: MPD)

Date of crash	5/29/20
Crash Complaint Number (CCN)	20079159
Type of crash	Vehicle/Vehicle

Historical crash data, nearest intersection, 2017-19

(Source: MPD crash database)

Crashes	38
Fatalities	0
Injuries	26
Pedestrians involved	2
Bicyclists involved	2
Motorcyclists involved	0



Site visit notes

- Date of site visit: 6/8/20
- DDOT divisions present: Traffic Operations & Safety; Planning (Active Transportation team); Community Engagement; Traffic Engineering & Signals; Automated Traffic Enforcement; Vision Zero
- Other agencies present: MPD
- Street Design Context: Signalized intersection

Factors observed on site visit:

- High speeds

Next steps

Short-term DDOT action items (timetables pending):

- Pavement marking improvements, including refurbishing markings as appropriate.

Further DDOT evaluations (timetables TBD):

- Following fatal crashes, DDOT collects data and gathers information to inform potential interventions that would improve safety at the location.
- Evaluate the lighting at this location
- This location is part of the [New York Avenue Streetscape and Trail Project](#) which will bring safety upgrades to the corridor.

