Fatal Crash Follow-up
1500 block of Pennsylvania Ave SE

Death Case Year
20

Death Case Number
29

Jurisdiction
MPD

CCN
20-134673

Death Type
Driver

Address Location
1500 block of Pennsylvania Ave SE

Ward
6

Crash Date and Time
Sep 20, 2020, 5:07:00 PM

Fatality Person
Driver
Narrative

Detectives with the Metropolitan Police Department's Major Crash Investigations Unit are investigating a traffic fatality that occurred on Sunday, September 20, 2020, in the 1500 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, Southeast. Preliminary investigation revealed that at approximately 8:39 pm, the driver of a 2010 Ford Mustang was travelling at a high-rate of speed westbound and lost control of the vehicle at the listed location. The vehicle mounted a curb median and struck a utility pole. DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services responded to the scene and transported the victim to an area hospital, where after all life-saving efforts failed, the victim was pronounced dead.

MPD Press release link

Site Visit(s)
Completed

Factors/context discussed at site visit(s)

Speed was a factor. Discussed speed management such as ATE

Actions Planned/Completed

ATE evaluation

Actions Under Consideration

ATE installation