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Incident: Update to Fatal Collision on Mt. Lehman Road

Abbotsford – February 12, 2015

The Abbotsford Police Department's investigation into the fatal collision on Mt. Lehman Road on Thursday, January 29, 2015, is continuing. Investigators have determined that debris located at the scene corresponds to a Ford F150 pickup truck, model years 2012-2014.

The victim, 61 year old Ronald James SCOTT, was riding his bike southbound on Mt. Lehman Road between 10:45 pm and 11:15 pm when he was struck. Major Crime detectives are appealing to anyone who may have been driving in the area around the time of the collision to contact Abbotsford Police at 604-859-5225.

News Release of January 30, 2015:

On Thursday, January 29, 2015 at 11:20 pm, the Abbotsford Police Department was called to the 2000 block of Mt. Lehman Road where a bicyclist had been severely injured. APD officers arrived on scene along with BC Ambulance staff but regrettably the male cyclist was pronounced dead at scene.

The victim, believed to be 40-60 years of age, was travelling southbound and was struck by an unknown vehicle that was travelling in the same direction. Given the amount of traffic in the area, it is likely that the collision took place only minutes before the APD received the call from the passers-by.

The driver of the vehicle involved in the fatal crash did not remain on scene. APD investigators have gathered evidence and are appealing to witnesses, and the driver, to come forward.

Police are still working to positively identify the victim and notify his family.

Our Mission: To make Abbotsford the safest city in B.C. Anyone with information is asked to call the Abbotsford Police Department at 604-859-5225, text us at 222973 (abbypd) or to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

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