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MEDIA RELEASE

SHERIFF IDENTIFIES VICTIM OF FATAL TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

On Saturday October 16, 2010 at about 12:56 P.M., Arapahoe County Sheriff's Deputies responded to the 7100 block of East Briarwood Drive to investigate the report of an injury accident. Responding deputies were advised that two adult females were trapped beneath a furniture delivery truck. When deputies arrived, both females were laying underneath the delivery truck. The female victims, age 62 and 70, were transported to Littleton Hospital, where the 62 year old was pronounced deceased, as the result of the injuries sustained in the accident. The 70 year old victim was treated for minor, non-life threatening injuries.

The deceased victim of the traffic accident has been identified as:

Margaret Ann Hermansen
Age 62
7101 East Briarwood Drive
Centennial, Colorado 80112

The initial investigation into the traffic accident has determined that both females were standing near the community mailboxes when a furniture delivery truck, backing eastbound on East Briarwood Drive, struck both of the victims. The victims fell to the ground and Ms. Hermansen was struck by the rear wheels of the delivery truck.

The driver of the furniture delivery truck was released from the scene pending further investigation.

The investigation into the fatal accident is on-going. Additional details will be provided as available.

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