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## **Traffic Collision** **080029295**

On April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2008 at 10:55 am, Torrance Police responded to a traffic collision involving a motorcyclist in the 400 block of Van Ness Avenue in the City of Torrance. On arrival, officers learned that the operator of the motorcycle, identified as Mark Anthony Muramoto of Torrance, was south on Van Ness Avenue when he lost control striking the west curb and subsequently colliding with a power pole. Muramoto was treated on scene by Torrance Fire Department Paramedics and transported to Harbor General Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries. The accident is under investigation by the Torrance Police Department Traffic Division under the Command of Captain Marc Wilkins. Anyone with information regarding this investigation is asked to call Investigator Terry Tokle at (310) 618-5560.

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