



## NEWS RELEASE

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### ONE KILLED IN EARLY MORNING PATERSON CRASH

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PATERSON, NEW JERSEY:

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Passaic County Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes and Paterson Police Chief Troy Oswald announce that at approximately 4:33 a.m., on Wednesday February 6, 2019, police responded to Route 20, near the intersection of East 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, in the City of Paterson, in response to single motor vehicle collision. A 2003 Dodge Caravan, being operated by thirty-nine (39) year old Dane Johnson of Paterson, New Jersey, left the roadway. Mr. Johnson was pronounced deceased at the scene. No other vehicles were involved in the crash.

The investigation remains active and ongoing. More information will be released once it becomes available.

The Passaic County Prosecutor's Office asks anyone with additional information about this incident to contact us on our tips line at 1-877-370-PCPO or [tips@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:tips@passaiccountynj.org) or contact the Paterson Police Traffic Division at 973-321-1112.

For media inquiries concerning this case, contact Assistant Prosecutor Julie Serfess of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office at [jserfess@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:jserfess@passaiccountynj.org) or at (973) 837-7718.