



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

Date: 08/11/2024

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Serious Injury Traffic Crash

Date: 08/10/2024

Time: 11:24 p.m.

Location of Offense/Incident: Polaris Parkway & Interstate 71

Zone: 1

Precinct: 1

Incident Report #: 240590058

Cruiser District: 10

Victim: Adult Victim	Sex:	Race:	Age:
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Suspect:	Address:			
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Incident Summary: On 08/10/2024 at approximately 11:24 p.m. an adult vehicle operator was operating a Nissan Altima westbound on Polaris Parkway, approaching the freeway ramp to access Interstate 71 southbound. The vehicle entered the ramp and continued around the ramp, approaching the merge to Interstate 71 southbound. While navigating the curve of the ramp the vehicle exceeded the paved portion of the roadway and continued onto the grassy roadside. The vehicle then struck a concrete traffic barrier and rolled onto its side. The adult operator of the vehicle suffered severe injury and was transported to the Riverside Methodist Hospital. The operator of the vehicle remains listed in critical condition at this time.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation which is ongoing.

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