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Henrico Police Investigates Fatal N. Airport Drive Motorcycle Crash

(Henrico County, Va.) – Henrico Police is investigating a fatal motorcycle crash that occurred Saturday in the Varina Magisterial District.

On Saturday, June 20, 2026, around 9:35 p.m., Henrico Police responded to the intersection of N. Airport Drive and Airport Place for a crash involving a vehicle and a motorcycle. Once on scene, officers located an adult male motorcycle operator in the roadway with obvious signs of trauma; he was pronounced deceased at the scene. The driver of the other vehicle involved remained on scene.

Henrico Police Crash Team Investigators have identified the motorcyclist as **Hunter Southard, 26, of Henrico.**

The preliminary investigation indicates Mr. Southard was traveling north on N. Airport Drive when he collided with a Hyundai Genesis traveling south which was attempting to turn left onto Airport Place. The driver of the Hyundai remained on scene and is cooperating with the investigation. Crash investigators are still working to determine the cause of the crash, however, believe speed and alcohol are not factors on behalf of the Hyundai driver.

Anyone with further information about this crash is asked to contact Officer C. Bolinger at (804) 501-5000. You may also submit tips anonymously via Crime Stoppers at (804) 780-1000 or by using P3tips.com.

Henrico Police would also like to remind our community members about the “[Never Too Safe On 2 Wheels](#)” traffic safety campaign. The campaign emphasizes the importance of motorcycle safety by encouraging motorists to stay vigilant, be aware of their surroundings, and share the road safely.

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