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Sent: Wednesday, July 1, 2026 2:22 PM
To: Opra
Subject: [External]OPRA request - Vehicle identification - June 29, 2026 Hackensack crash

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Dear Hackensack City,

CITY OF HACKENSACK

Please accept this electronic request for public records made under OPRA and the common law right of access. I am not required to fill out an official form or use a particular software platform to submit my request per NJSA 47:1A-5(f), which states that an email from a requestor including all of the information required on the adopted form shall suffice in place of a completed form as a valid government record request.

I HAVE NOT been convicted of any indictable offense under the laws of New Jersey, any other state, or the United States.

I WILL NOT use the requested government records for a commercial purpose.

I AM NOT seeking records in connection with a legal proceeding.

Records requested:

Records sufficient to identify the make, model, and manufacturer of the electric bicycle or motorcycle involved in the crash that occurred on or about June 29, 2026, at or near the intersection of Passaic Street and River Street in Hackensack, New Jersey.

Please also provide any photographs of the electric bicycle or motorcycle involved in the crash.

If no photographs are available, please provide any body-worn camera footage from responding officers depicting the electric bicycle or motorcycle involved in the incident.

My preferred delivery method for response(s) to this request is by e-mail as attachments.

Please confirm you have received this request. If you are not the custodian of records, please forward my request to that person and provide their email address to me for future reference.

Yours faithfully,

Shannon Connor

Please deliver records electronically via email to the below UNIQUE address for all replies to this request:

opra+request-92989-6ccfface@requests.opramachine.com

Is OPRA@hackensack.org the wrong address for OPRA requests to Hackensack City? If so, please contact us using this form:

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DEPUTY CITY CLERK

CITY OF HACKENSACK

OPEN PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST RESPONSE

City Clerk's Office
65 Central Avenue, 3rd Floor
Hackensack, NJ 07601
(201)-646-3940
Fax: (201) 457-1466

DATE: July 7, 2026

TO: Shannon Connor

The City of Hackensack ("City") records custodian received your Open Public Records Act ("OPRA") Ref. No. 26-1409 request on July 1, 2026. The City has a seven (7) business day deadline to respond with a due date of July 13, 2026. This response is therefore being timely submitted in accordance with New Jersey law. See N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5.

RECORDS RESPONSE: All responsive records found with the Hackensack Police Department pertaining to an incident that occurred on June 29, 2026 at the intersection of River Street and Passaic Street involving an "electric bicycle or motorcycle involved in the [a] crash".

No photographs were taken by officers at the scene of the "electric bicycle or motorcycle", the Hackensack Police Department has provided a clip of the Body Worn Camera footage that shows the "electric bicycle or motorcycle", along with the Tow Report and New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report.

Non-public information including license plate numbers have been redacted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1.

As this case involved Juvenile(s), all information pertaining to them has been redacted from the Tow Report.

The New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report has remained unredacted.

For the responsive footage, you will be receiving a separate email Axon - Evidence.com where you will be able to download the footage via the Download link: [\[Click here for download\]](#). The link will expire in 7 days, please download the files before July 14, 2026.

Your OPRA request is now deemed answered and closed.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.



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225 State Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601

Phone: 201-646-7777 Fax: 201-646-8051 Mun. Code: 0223

Tow Report



Tow Details:							
Case Number	Date	Time	Location		Reason for Tow		
26-059729	06/29/26	17:47	Passaic Street		MV Crash		
Driver / Owner Information:							
Driver Name (Lastname, Firstname)		Middle Initial	Hold	No Hold	NICB Number		Cleared
[REDACTED]							☐
Address							
[REDACTED]							
Owner Name (Lastname, Firstname)		Middle Initial	Same as Driver ☐				
VasquezVentura, Maritza							
Address							
179 Berdan Place, Apt #1, Hackensack, NJ 07601							
Vehicle Information:							
Yr	Make	Body Type	Color	Reg	State	VIN	Mileage
	Jinhua	Oth.	Blk	N/A			
Towed From				Towed To		Towed by	
				Hackensack Auto Body		Hackensack Auto Body	
Conditions for Release				Insurance Company		Policy#	
Valid Registration, DL, and insurance						Exp. Date	
Details of Recovery:							
Recovered Date		Place Recovered					
Overall Condition					Tow Truck Driver		
Special Equipment							
Found in Possession of				Address			
Notes:							
Electric moped							
The owner or designated agent must present the proper documentation to the Hackensack Police Department in order to obtain a release for the vehicle or its contents. The vehicle must be removed from storage following the release. Failure to remove the vehicle from storage may result in your being charged with abandonment. Any vehicle held in excess of 20 days will be sold at public auction in accordance with NJSA 39:10A-1.							
Disposition of Vehicle:							
Release Date		Proof of Ownership			Officer Authorizing Release		
Owner's Name / Released To				Address of Owner / Person Released To			
Signature of Owner / Released To				Signature of Officer Releasing Vehicle			
Officer of Record:		Date:		Tow Authorized by:		Reviewed by:	
Officer of Record		Reporting Date		Tow Authorized by			
P.O. Jason Campoverde 392		06/29/26		P.O. Jason Campoverde 392		tedesco_m	

96	04	Page 1 of 3	☐ Fatal	New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report										☒ Reportable	☐ Non-Reportable	☐ Change Report	118a	25							
97	01	1. Case Number 26-059729		10. Crash Occurred On: River Street		11. Speed Limit S 25		12. Route No.		13. Milepost		14. Direction of: Passaic Street		15. Speed Limit 25		118b	----								
98	01	2. Police Dept. of Hackensack		Code 01		☒ At Intersection with		☐ Feet		☐ Miles		☐ N ☐ E ☐ S ☐ W		16. Direction of: Passaic Street		119a	12								
99	07	3. Station/Precinct		14		15		16		17. Cross Road Name/Route No.		☐ NB ☐ EB ☐ SB ☐ WB		18. Speed Limit		119b	----								
100a	03	4. Date of Crash 06/29/26		5. Day of Week Sun		6. Time (use 2400 hrs.) 1747		7. Municipality Code 0223		8. Total Killed 00		9. Total Injured 02		21. Latitude		22. Longitude		120a	01						
100b	04	23. Veh.# 1		24. Policy No. TCA00002014785		25. NJ Ins. Code 632		53. Veh.# 2		54. Policy No. UNINSURED		55. NJ Ins. Code *		56. Driver's First Name		59. Sex		120b	----						
101	02	☐ Parked ☐ Ped ☐ Pedalcyclist ☐ Resp. to Emergency ☐ Hit & Run		26. Driver's First Name		29. Sex		56. Driver's First Name		59. Sex		57. Number & Street		58. City		59. Sex		121a	01						
102	01	Brandon Legarda		M		Maybelline Melendez		F		179 Berdan Place		Hackensack, NJ 07601		121b		122		01							
103	01	4113 Park Avenue, 1C		State Zip		60. Eyes		61. State		62. Driver's License Number		63. DOB		64. Expires		65. Owner's First Name		66. Number & Street							
104	02	Union City, NJ 07087		NJ		2		D		1		NON		NJ		L2217 09677 07032		07/24/03							
105	03	L2217 09677 07032		07/24/03		07/29		05/30/13		07/29		05/30/13		07/29		Maria Legarda		4113 Park Avenue							
106	----	35. Owner's First Name		Initial		Last Name		65. Owner's First Name		Initial		Last Name		66. Number & Street		67. City		68. Make							
107	----	36. Number & Street		37. City		38. Make		39. Model		40. Color		41. Year		42. Plate No.		43. State		44. VIN							
108	01	Apt 1c, Union City, NJ 07087		NJ		Nissan		ROG		Blac		10		V21ACU		NJ		JN8AS5MV1AW135458							
109	11	46. Vehicle Removed to:		47. Authority		48. Alcohol Drug Test		49. Hazardous Material		50. Carrier No.		51. GVWR / GCWR (trucks & buses only)		52. Motor Carrier or Government Entity		53. VIN		54. Expires							
110	01	Hackensack Auto Body		Police		No		None		USDOT		≤ 10,000 lbs.		Hackensack Auto Body		00		/							
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135. Damage to Other Property ☐ Yes (If Yes, describe) ☒ No																		136. Charge		137. Summons No.		138. Charge		139. Summons No.	
135. Damage to Other Property ☐ Yes (If Yes, describe) ☒ No																		39:4-97 Careless Driving		E26		39:3-76.7 Operate/ride motorcycle		E26	
135. Damage to Other Property ☐ Yes (If Yes, describe) ☒ No																		19:2-3.1 Failure to obey traffic		E26		142. Charge		143. Summons No.	

	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	Names & Addresses of Occupants If Deceased, Date & Time of Death
A	1	01	01	05	22	M	----	----	1	04	04	06	----	Legarda, Brandon-4113 Park Avenue, Apt 1c, Union City, NJ 07087
B	2	01	03	02	13	F	01	05	2	01	01	05	5204	Melendez, Maybelline-179 Berdan, Hackensack, NJ 07601
C	2	04	03	03	12	M	01	05	2	01	01	05	5204	Guzman, Jackson-145 Passaic Street, Apt. 1, Hackensack, New Jersey 07601
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145. Crash Description/Narrative

Driver 1 reported traveling southbound on River Street, while in the left lane. He further reported that while traveling through the Passaic Street intersection, the traffic signal was green, and began to change yellow. Driver 1 stated that he did not observe the cyclist crossing eastbound in front of his vehicle. As a result, the front right bumper of Vehicle 1 collided with the front-end of Vehicle 2.

A witness (witness 1) that was traveling behind Vehicle 1 prior to the crash reported that the traffic signal had changed to red while Vehicle 1 was passing through the intersection. The witness further reported that the cyclists "took off" immediately after the traffic signal changed to green. The witness stated that Vehicle 1 struck the cyclists as they were attempting to turn north onto River Street.

A separate witness (witness 2) that was traveling in the right lane beside Vehicle 1 had a conflicting statement compared to the first witness. Witness 2 stated the traffic signal changed green when Vehicle 1 began to accelerate. The witness stated that the cyclist continued straight through the red traffic signal, onto oncoming traffic.

After reviewing surveillance footage of the accident, I observed that Vehicle 1 was traveling south on River Street with the flow of traffic while the East bound flow of traffic on Passaic Street was at a full stop. The cyclist was traveling north on River Street on the southbound sidewalk, the cyclist then began to cross River Street diagonally onto the northbound lane while the Passaic Street's traffic was at a full stop. As a result, the cyclist struck driver 1's front right side bumper head on.

Driver of vehicle 1 (13 years old) and the passenger of vehicle 1 (12 years old) were transported to Hackensack University Medical Center, where P.O. Mattalian stood by until the driver and passenger's guardians arrived on scene.

The parent of M.M was issued the listed summons.

146. Officer's Signature P.O. Jason Campoverde 392		147. Badge # 392	148. Reviewer TEDESCO_M	Badge #	149. Case Status ☐ Pending ☒ Complete
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New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report

Police Dept. Hackensack

Code 01

Motor Vehicle Crash Description

Station _____

Case No. 26-059729



NOT TO SCALE

Passaic Street

River Street

