



# City of Red Bluff

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Case Number: 16-2844

Contact Person: On Duty Sergeant

### ***FATAL COLLISION VEHICLE VS BICYCLE***

***INVOLVED:*** Kenneth Franklyn Smith, 52 of Red Bluff  
***LOCATION:*** 400 Block of Antelope Blvd  
***DATE OCCURRED:*** 08/12/16  
***TIME:*** 1052 hours

#### ***SUMMARY:***

August 12, 2016

Officers were dispatched to the 400 Block of Antelope Blvd for what was originally reported as a vehicle vs. motorcycle collision. Upon arrival, it was determined to be a vehicle vs. bicycle collision.

The preliminary investigation shows that the cyclist, identified as Kenneth Smith, was riding eastbound on the north shoulder of Antelope Blvd. For unknown reasons, Smith turned and attempted to ride across Antelope Blvd. Smith was struck by a 2010 Kia Forte being driven by a 17 year old driver who was traveling westbound at approximately 45 mph. As a result of the collision, Smith sustained major injuries including a head trauma and was transported to St. Elizabeth's Hospital via ambulance; however, Smith succumbed to his injuries.

The case is under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact the Red Bluff Police Department at 527-3131.

Sgt. Scott Curtis

August 12, 2016

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We, the members of the Red Bluff Police Department, are committed to being responsive to our community in the delivery of quality services. Recognizing our responsibility to maintain order, while affording dignity and respect to every individual, our objective is to improve the quality of life through a community partnership which promotes safe, secure neighborhoods throughout the city.