



## VALLEJO POLICE DEPARTMENT

### Press Release

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### INJURY VEHICLE COLLISION

On May 1, 2009, at approximately 0204 AM, Vallejo Police officers responded to a single vehicle injury collision in the 600 block of Columbus Parkway. The driver of a 2006 Toyota Tundra was traveling southbound on Columbus Parkway at a high rate of speed when she lost control of the vehicle and crossed over the center median. The vehicle collided with a street light and continued across the northbound lanes. The vehicle left the roadway, overturned and at least one passenger was ejected.

The driver of the Toyota, a 20 year old Vallejo resident, remained trapped in the vehicle until emergency personnel could extricate her. She was transported to a local hospital for treatment of moderate injuries. The right front passenger, a 16 year old Vallejo resident, was ejected from the vehicle and was flown to a local hospital for treatment of major injuries. The two rear passengers, both 20 year old Vallejo residents, were also transported to local hospitals with minor injuries.

Preliminarily, it appears that the driver was intoxicated at the time of the collision.

The identity of the people involved is being withheld pending notification of family members.

This collision is still under investigation. If anyone has any information regarding this incident, please contact Officer Michael Nichelini at the Vallejo Police Department Traffic Division (707) 648-4329.