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Major Injury Traffic Collision

Riverside, CA -- On Sunday, May 13, 2012, at about 7:49 AM, a Riverside Police Officer was on-duty and driving his marked patrol unit north on Madison Street. As the officer approached the intersection at Emerald Street, a female pedestrian attempted to cross, walking west from the east roadway edge of Madison St. The patrol unit collided with the pedestrian, as she walked briskly outside of the crosswalk.

Riverside Fire and AMR paramedics responded and treated the pedestrian, who suffered major injuries. The woman was transported to Riverside Community Hospital, where she is listed in serious condition.

Members of the department's Major Accident Investigation Team responded and investigated the collision.

Anyone with information related to this investigation is urged to contact Detective Rick Prince at 951-826-8722.

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