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## Fatal Traffic Collision (Update)

**Riverside, CA** – On February 29, 2016, police and fire personnel responded to the rear of 1371 Blaine Street regarding a subject down. When emergency personnel arrived on scene they located an African American female deceased in the parking lot between K-mart and Jack in the Box. There was evidence indicating she had been run over by a vehicle, but circumstances surrounding her death are still unknown. The victim has been identified as Janice Burney, 52 years old of Riverside.

Members of the department's Major Accident Investigation Team responded to the scene and are currently conducting their investigation. The initial investigation determined the female may have been run over by a light colored midsize sedan being driven by an unknown subject. The driver may not have known they struck the female at the time of the collision.

Police are attempting to locate the driver of the vehicle and anyone who may have witnessed the collision. Anyone who may have witnessed this collision or has information regarding the vehicle or driver of the vehicle is urged to contact Detective Felix Soria at 951-826-8720.

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