



WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP POLICE

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MEDIA RELEASE

Date of Incident	12/10/09	Incident #	09-53117
Time of Incident	1747 hours	Incident Type	Pedestrian Motor Vehicle Crash
Incident Location	Fries Mill Road and Hurffville-Cross Keys Road		
Investigating Officer(s)	Preston L. Forchion, II, #10115		
Other Involved Agencies	Washington Township Ambulance		
Media Release Approved By	Deputy Chief John Dalesandro		

Incident Narrative

On December 10, 2009, at approximately 1747 hours, a Pedestrian Motor Vehicle Crash occurred in Washington Township Fries Mill Road east of Hurffville-Cross Keys Road. Based on preliminary statements and observations, it appears that the pedestrian was crossing Fries Mill Road outside of an approved pedestrian crosswalk. In the course of crossing Fries Mill Road, the pedestrian was struck by a vehicle. After the collision the driver of the vehicle pulled to the side of the road and attempted to render aid to the pedestrian.

The pedestrian was treated by Washington Township Ambulance Association (EMS) at the scene and transported to Cooper University Trauma Center. The driver of the vehicle was not injured as a result of the crash.

The pedestrian remains at Cooper Hospital in critical condition and the investigation is continuing. There have been no charges signed at this time.

Any additional requests for information shall be sent to the department's Public Information Officer, Deputy Chief John Dalesandro.

Subject 1

Name	Artie Martino	Age	45
Address	Sewell, New Jersey 08080		
Vehicle (if applicable)	1999 Chevrolet Lumina		
Injuries (if applicable)	n/a		
Charges	Under investigation	Arrest (Yes/No)	No

Subject 2

Name	William M. Cerankowski	Age	47
Address	Clayton, New Jersey		
Vehicle (if applicable)	Pedestrian		
Injuries (if applicable)	Head Injury		
Charges	Under Investigation	Arrest (Yes/No)	No