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El Paso Resident Killed in Rollover Crash

Lordsburg – 66 y.o. Gloria Valdez-Hernandez of El Paso, TX was fatally injured when the vehicle she was passenger in crashed.

State Police officers responded to a motor vehicle crash just after 4:00 PM yesterday afternoon on the eastbound lanes of Interstate – 10, near mile post 11. 67 y.o. Manuel Hernandez of El Paso, TX was driving a 1999 GMC van when his left rear tire blew out and contributed to Manuel Hernandez losing control. The van left the roadway and rolled over onto its roof, during the roll Gloria Valdez-Hernandez was ejected from the vehicle.

The passenger Gloria Valdez-Hernandez was pronounced deceased on scene by the office of the medical investigator. Manuel Hernandez was injured in the crash and transported to Gila Regional Medical center in Silver City and listed in stable condition.

Alcohol was not a contributing factor. Seatbelts were not used at the time of the crash.

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