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NEWS RELEASE

Lexington Park Man Dies in Single-Vehicle Collision

LEONARDTOWN, MD (March 26, 2025) – The St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office is investigating a fatal single-vehicle collision that occurred on Tuesday afternoon.

On March 25, 2025, at around 1:15 p.m., deputies responded to the 44000 block of St. Andrews Church Road and Pops Way in California, MD, for a report of a crash.

A preliminary investigation determined that a 2018 Hyundai Elantra left the roadway and struck a concrete barrier. The driver, Calvin Coolidge Edwards Jr., 76, of Lexington Park, was found unresponsive and not breathing. Despite life-saving efforts, Edwards was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office Collision Reconstruction Unit responded and assumed the investigation. Speed and driver impairment do not appear to be factors. Investigators are considering the possibility of a medical emergency.

Anyone who witnessed the crash or events leading up to it and has not yet provided a statement is asked to contact Deputy First Class Alexander Tasciotti at 301-475-2400, ext. 8151, or by email at Alexander.Tasciotti@stmaryscountymd.gov.

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