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## Driver dies after single-car crash in West Ashley

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C.** – Charleston County deputies are investigating a crash early Tuesday after the death of a driver in the West Ashley area.

The Charleston County Sheriff's Office responded about 9:15 a.m. to a report of a single-vehicle crash on Etiwan Avenue near Melrose Drive. The driver and sole occupant of the vehicle was transported by EMS to a local hospital, where he was pronounced dead.

Deputies determined that the Nissan sedan was traveling north on Etiwan Avenue around 6 a.m. when it went off the road and hit a ditch. A passerby found the crash more than three hours later.

Deputies from CCSO's Traffic Services Unit are investigating the crash.

The Charleston County Coroner's Office can provide identity information on the driver when appropriate.

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