



## VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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April 5, 2018

**VPD Report Number: Date/Time Occurred:**

18-030219: 04-05-2018 / 0600 hrs.

**Type of Incident: Location:**

Fatal Traffic Collision: Acequia E/of Church

**Involved Parties:**

Hugh Phillips, 78 yrs. old from Colorado (Pedestrian)

Marvin Adams, 55 yrs. old from Visalia (Driver '02 Ford F150)

**Details:**

On the listed date and time, the Visalia Police Department responded to Acequia and Church for a report of a vehicle vs. pedestrian traffic collision. Officers found the pedestrian down in the roadway and EMS transported him to KDMC where he was pronounced deceased due to his injuries. The investigation by the Traffic Unit showed that the pedestrian was crossing Acequia southbound E/of Church when he was struck by the vehicle. The vehicle was traveling eastbound Acequia proceeding straight. Drugs and alcohol are not factors in this collision. The cause of the collision is still under investigation.

**Investigating Officers: Supervisor:**

VPD Traffic Unit:

Sgt. Mark Feller

