



**HIGH POINT POLICE DEPARTMENT  
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**INCIDENT TYPE – Hit and Run Fatality UPDATE**

HIGH POINT, NC – Investigators need the public's help in identifying a suspect in a fatal hit and run that happened Sunday, October 16, 2022.

Investigators are asking everyone to keep an eye out for a vehicle matching the following description:

- **2016 – 2017 Honda Accord**
- **Damage on the front passenger side and the hood, and possibly the roof**
- **Missing the front passenger side headlight and turn signal light.**

The victim was hit from behind while walking north on S. University Parkway.

Anyone with information is asked to call High Point Crime Stoppers at 336-889-4000. Callers who provide tips leading to an arrest could receive a reward up to \$5,000.

Update provided on 11/2/2022

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HIGH POINT, NC – The victim of this hit and run has been identified as **Frederick C. Council** (B/M, 62 of High Point).

Investigators are still searching for the suspect in this case and ask that any member of the public that has information please contact the High Point Police Department at 336-883-3224 or Crime Stoppers at 336-889-4000.



Crime Stoppers of High Point pays cash rewards for information that leads to arrests, seizures or solving serious crimes. Callers with successful tips remain anonymous and receive rewards up to \$5,000. Contact Crime Stoppers at 336-889-4000 or Download the P3 Tips mobile app for IOS or Android



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### **INCIDENT TYPE – Traffic Fatality UPDATE**

HIGH POINT, NC - On Sunday, October 16, 2022, around 5:00 a.m. a High Point B/M resident was walking North on S. University Pkwy. He was struck from behind by a vehicle likely traveling well above the posted 45 mph speed limit. The victim sustained a variety of traumatic injuries and was likely killed on impact. The driver of the vehicle would have known that they had struck something and should have remained on the scene.

At this point what we know about the suspect vehicle is the following:

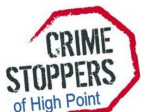
- **2016 – 2017 Honda Accord and very specifically the LX line.**
- **This vehicle will have passenger side damage to the front, the hood, and possibly the roof.**
- **It will be missing the front passenger side headlight and turn signal light.**

At this time, this is an ongoing and active investigation and the victim's name is being withheld due to the next of kin not being notified. The High Point Police Department is still actively attempting to identify and locate the victim's family.

If you have any information or you think you see the suspect vehicle, please contact the High Point Police Department at 336-883-3224 or call Crimestoppers of High Point at 336-889-4000.

The High Point Police Department remains committed to crime-fighting, community engagement, training, and professional policing. We will continue to collaborate with our community members and crime-fighting partners to promote a higher quality of life. Anyone with information about violent crime or illegal activity is asked to contact Crime Stoppers of High Point at 336-889-4000 or Download the P3 mobile app for IOS or Android.

*Case Report Number(s): 2022-29572*



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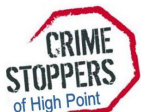
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