

## Fatal Crash Review

Location: Rockledge Drive between Walter Johnson High School Entrance and Democracy Boulevard

Accident Date: Friday, May 6, 2022

Accident Time: Approximately 11:21 AM

Local case number: 220019281

Review Date: June 22, 2022

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Date: June 27, 2022

### Location and Site Description:

Rockledge Drive, between the Walter Johnson High School Entrance and Democracy Boulevard, is a 68' wide four-lane divided arterial roadway (two lanes in each direction with a 17 ft grass median) with metered parking on both sides. The posted speed limit along Rockledge Drive within this section of the roadway is 30 mph.

### Description of Crash:

Preliminary investigations indicated the non-motorist had parked their vehicle on northbound side of Rockledge Drive and crossed the roadway mid-block. At the time of the crash, the report and from the email information received from MCPD indicated that "moderate rain" was falling. Having crossed the northbound lane and grass median, the non-motorist entered the southbound lane and was struck by a vehicle travelling southbound on Rockledge Drive.

### Observations:

A field investigation was conducted at the crash location on May 25, 2022. Signs and pavement markings along Rockledge Drive are visible are in good condition. There is an existing marked crosswalk approximately 200' from where the wide grass median is located.

### Conclusion/Recommendation:

All required traffic control is in place and in good condition. No recommendations in conjunction with this incident.

### Pictures:

See pages 2 and 3

Crash site – Rockledge Drive at Grass Median



Northbound Rockledge Drive



Southbound approach Rockledge Drive

