

**PEMBROKE PINES POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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**NEWS RELEASE**

**PIO ASSIGNED THIS INCIDENT:** Sgt. Christopher Sengelmann

**PPPD CASE NUMBER:** 2014-095477      **DATE:** 12-29-2014      **TIME:** 12:19

**CHARGE/INCIDENT:** Traffic Crash – Fatality

**PLACE OF OCCURRENCE:** Johnson Street and North University Drive

**VICTIM(S) – NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:**

1) Joseph Catanzaro, W/M, DOB 03-02-1953, 7240 Pembroke Road, Miramar FL

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**OTHER(S) – NAME, AGE, DOB, RACE, SEX, ADDRESS:**

1) Tim Michael Climer, W/M, DOB 10-03-1956, 121 Andover Drive, Jupiter FL

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**DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT:**

At 12:19 pm on 12-29-14, units from the Pembroke Pines Police and Fire Departments responded to the intersection of University Drive and Johnson Street for a traffic crash. Preliminary investigation revealed that a blue Saturn driven by Mr. Joeseeph Catanzaro and also occupied by Mrs. Susan Catanzaro, was traveling west on Johnson Street and preparing to make a turn onto University Drive. A blue Ford Truck driven by Mr. Tim Climer was traveling north on University Drive and ran a solid red light. The front of the Ford truck struck the front driver side of the Saturn. The Saturn sustained extensive damage and Mr. Catanzaro died on scene. Mrs. Catanzaro was transported to Memorial Regional with serious injuries where she remains in stable condition.

This is an on going investigation and no charges have been filed at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact the Pembroke Pines Police Department at 954-431-2200, email to [Tips@ppines.com](mailto:Tips@ppines.com), or call Crimestoppers at 954-493-TIPS