SHERIFF LAURIE SMITH

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Homicide Investigation  
LOCATION: 22500 Cristo Rey Drive, Cupertino, CA 95014  
CASE NUMBER: 19-274-0264C

DETAILS:

On 10/1/2019 at 12:52pm, deputies were called to a disturbance at Rancho San Antonio County Park in Cupertino. The reporting party said a vehicle struck two pedestrians and drove away from the scene. Numerous deputies and park rangers responded.

At approximately 1:05pm, deputies located the suspect vehicle and safely detained the driver.

Two victims were transported to a local area hospital for treatment. The first victim was in critical condition and the second victim had non-life threatening injuries.

At approximately 1:50pm, the victim in critical condition succumbed to their injuries and was pronounced dead by medical personnel.

The suspect was arrested for murder and other felonies. The suspect was taken to a local hospital for precautionary measures and will be subsequently transported and booked into the Main Jail in San Jose.

This is an active and ongoing investigation. Anyone with information on this case is asked to contact the Santa Clara County Sheriff’s Office at 408-808-4500. Alternatively, you can contact the Sheriff’s Office Investigative Services anonymous tip line at 408-808-4431.