

Fatal Crash Follow-up

Nannie Helen Burroughs Ave and Hayes Street NE

Death Case Year

21

Ward

7

Death Case Number

27

Striking Vehicle

- **Motorcyclist (MO)**

Jurisdiction

MPD

Second Striking Vehicle/Object

- **Motor Vehicle (MVT)**

Death Type

Motorcyclist/Moped

Crash Date and Time

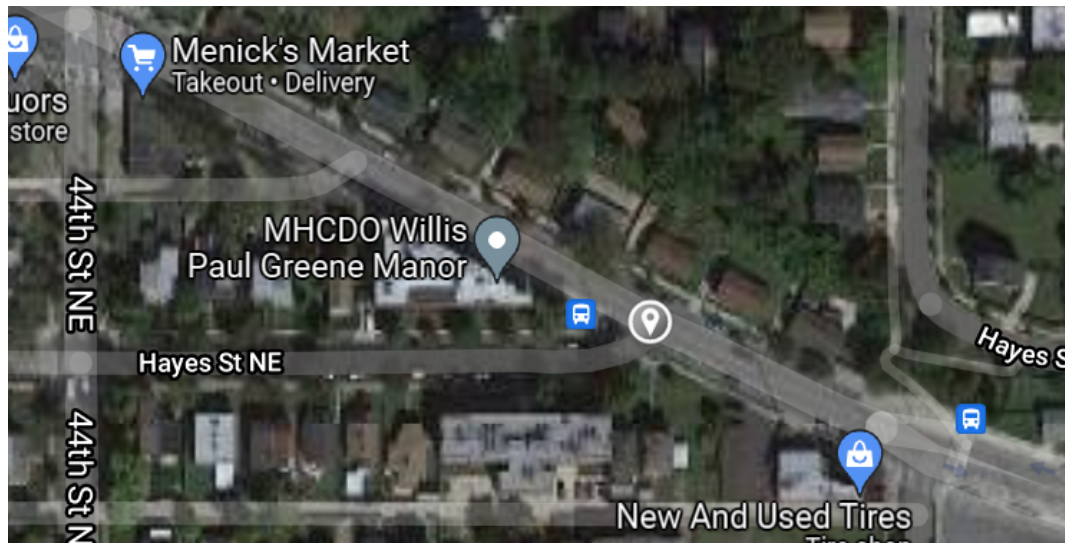
Aug 28, 2021, 9:15:00 PM

Fatality Person

Motorcyclist/Moped

Address Location

Nannie Helen Burroughs and Hayes NE



Narrative

The preliminary investigation revealed that at approximately 9:15 pm, the driver of a red 2005 Honda CRF250R (dirt bike) was traveling eastbound in the 4400 block of Nannie Helen Burroughs Avenue, Northeast. At the same time, a silver Hyundai Sonata, was traveling westbound in the 4500 block of Nannie Helen Burroughs Avenue, Northeast. As the Hyundai made a left hand turn into the 4400 block of Hayes Street, Northeast, the dirt bike collided with the passenger side of the Hyundai. The victim was separated from the dirt bike as a result of the traffic crash. DC Fire and EMS transported the operator of the dirt bike to a local hospital for treatment of life-threatening injuries. Additionally, the driver and one passenger of the Hyundai were transported to a local hospital for treatment of non-life threatening injuries. On Sunday, August 29, 2021, after all life-saving efforts failed, the motorcycle operator was pronounced dead.

MPD Press release link

<https://mpdc.dc.gov/release/traffic-fatality-intersection-nannie-helen-burroughs-avenue-and-hayes-street-northeast>

Site Visit(s)

Completed

Factors/context discussed at site visit(s)

potential visibility issues as NH Burroughs Ave curves at this point; left turns can potentially be made at higher speeds because the westbound left turn is less than 90 degrees.

Actions Under Consideration

Evaluate the location for left turn traffic calming