



Yuma County Sheriff's Office

Leon N. Wilmot
Sheriff of Yuma County

141 S. 3rd Avenue, Yuma, AZ 85364
Tel: (928) 783-4427 • Fax: (928) 539-7837
www.yumacountysheriff.org

PRESS RELEASE

Contact: Tania Pavlak
Phone: (928) 783-4427
DR# 2026-11331

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
February 14, 2026 – 11:30 AM

Serious Injury Collision

Location of Incident: S. Fortuna Road and E. 24th Street - Yuma, AZ

On Friday, February 13, 2026, at approximately 2:31 PM, the Yuma County Sheriff's Office received a report of a two-vehicle collision in the area of S. Fortuna Road and E. 24th Street.

The initial investigation revealed a 2025 Jeep Wagoneer was stopped at the railroad crossing north of 24th Street, when a Dodge Ram 2500 approaching stopped traffic, failed to stop and collided with the rear of the Jeep Wagoneer.

Rural Metro arrived on scene to assess all subjects involved in the collision. The driver and passengers of the Jeep Wagoneer were transported to Onvada Health for minor injuries.

The driver of the Dodge Ram was transported to Onvada Health and was later flown out to a Phoenix area hospital due to serious injuries.

This case remains under investigation at this time. Neither impairment nor speed appear to be a factor in this collision.

Anyone with information regarding this case, please contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at 928-783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

Information Released By: Tania Pavlak, Public Affairs Specialist