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## Fatal Collision

**Location of Incident:** E. County 10<sup>th</sup> Street and S. Avenue 22E - Wellton, AZ

On Thursday, July 2, 2026, at approximately 7:08 AM, the Yuma County Sheriff's Office received a report of a two-vehicle collision in the area of E. County 10<sup>th</sup> Street and S. Avenue 22E.

The initial investigation revealed that a semi-truck was traveling southbound on S. Avenue 22E when a GMC Sierra 1500 approached the intersection traveling westbound on E. County 10<sup>th</sup> Street. The GMC Sierra failed to stop at the posted stop sign, and the vehicles collided at the intersection.

Wellton Police Department, Wellton Fire, Tri-Valley, and Rural Metro responded to assist, and the driver of the semi-truck was transported to Onvida Health with non-life-threatening injuries.

The driver of the GMC Sierra was pronounced deceased on scene and is identified as Jasen Michael Jones, 56, of Yuma, AZ. Next of kin has been notified.

This case remains under investigation at this time.

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](http://www.yumacountysheriff.org) to submit an anonymous tip.

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