



City of Edmonds Media Release

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To: Media

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TRAIN/PEDESTRIAN COLLISION INVESTIGATION COMPLETE MANNER OF DEATH DETERMINED TO BE ACCIDENTAL

On March 19, 2017 at 7:10pm Edmonds Police responded to reports of a person that was hit by a train in the Haines Wharf area (16100 block 75 PL W). They found a 41-year old woman from the Lynnwood area near the tracks. She was pronounced deceased at the scene. The woman's husband was with her at that time, but not in the immediate area of the tracks.

The Snohomish County Medical Examiner's Office determined the manner of death to be accidental.

The case was assigned to an Edmond Police Department Detective. Based on evidence collected and interviews, we determined the woman was struck when she tried to cross the tracks in front of a northbound passenger train. The train was not occupied by passengers at the time. We have closed our investigation, also considering the death to be accidental.

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