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**PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
August 10, 2016**

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| <u>Nature of Release:</u> Vehicle/Pedestrian Fatality | <u>Date and Time of Incident:</u> August 10, 2016 Approximately 12:02 AM |
| <u>Incident Location:</u> | State Route 819 at Round Top Circle East Huntingdon Township |
| Decedent: Eric L. Sheffler, 17 y/o male Address: State Route 130 Unity Township Date and Time of Death: August 10, 2016 at 1:04 AM. | |
| Incident Details: Cause of Death: Pending Manner of Death: Pending | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Westmoreland County Coroner, Kenneth A. Bacha, has released the following information on a vehicle/pedestrian fatality.▪ A 2009, Chrysler mini-van, was traveling north on State Route 819, when it struck the decedent.▪ Emergency medical personnel transported the decedent to Excelsa Frick emergency department where he was pronounced dead by a hospital physician.▪ Deputy Coroner John A. Ackerman investigated the incident.▪ An autopsy will be performed by Dr. Cyril H. Wecht and Pathology Associates on August 10, 2016.▪ Cause and manner of death will be pending autopsy results, toxicology results, and further investigation into the incident.▪ Toxicology results will not be available for several weeks.▪ Bacha Funeral Home of Pleasant Unity will be in charge of arrangements.▪ Pennsylvania State Police Greensburg Barracks also investigated and will release additional details at their discretion. | |
| <p>***** No further information is available from this office at this time. *****</p> | |