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## FATAL CRASH ON RIVER RD

Baton Rouge Police Traffic Homicide Detectives are investigating a fatal crash that occurred in the 7900 block of River Rd around 5:30pm on April 14, 2022. The crash involved a 2007 Mazda RX8 and a 2018 Ford F-150.

Through the course of the investigation, detectives learned that the Mazda was passing vehicles at a high rate of speed while traveling southbound on River Rd. On one particular attempt pass, the Mazda entered into the northbound lane and struck the Ford F-150.

The driver of the Mazda, ALEJANDRO CORDOVA, 21, 12485 QUEENSBURY AVE, died at the scene. Three occupants inside the Ford F-150 were transported to a local hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

This is an ongoing investigation.

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