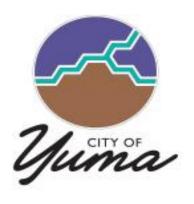


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INJURY COLLISION

Yuma, AZ -

On Saturday, April 26, 2025, at about 5:11p.m., Yuma Police officers responded to a call in reference to a pick-up-truck that went into a canal with the driver still inside by the 3100 block of S. Araby Road.

The initial investigation revealed that a 73-year-old male, driving a 2005 Dodge Ram, was traveling southbound on Araby Road when he possibly suffered a medical issue and left the roadway, landing into the canal near the 3100 block of S. Araby Road.

Upon arrival, officers jumped into the canal and rescued the driver from the vehicle.

The driver of was transported to Onvida Health with serious but non-life-threatening injuries.

This case is still under investigation. Neither speed nor alcohol appear to be a factor.

The Yuma Police Department encourages anyone with any information about this case to call the Yuma Police Department at (928) 783-4421 or 78-Crime at (928) 782-7463 to remain anonymous.

Information Released By: Sergeant Lori Franklin