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Update: Pedestrian Hit by Vehicle

At 7:07 a.m. this morning, near 55th Avenue North and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Street North, Alina Marie Perez, 1/26/2000, was walking across Dr. MLK Street North, from west to east, when she was struck by a northbound red Buick Rendezvous.

There may have been a person riding a motorcycle or a scooter at this location that may have witnessed this accident. Police investigators are asking that person to contact the St. Petersburg Police Department.

The investigation continues.

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Vehicle vs Pedestrian

St. Petersburg Police are on the scene of a vehicle and pedestrian crash at 5400 MLK St. North.

The victim is a 17 year old girl. She suffered very serious injuries.

Police have traffic on MLK blocked in both directions for the investigation.