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## OFFICIAL NEWS RELEASE

### BICYCLIST DIES IN TRAFFIC COLLISION

DATE: April 17, 2018

**Burbank, California** – On April 16, 2018, at about 5:15 P.M., Burbank Police and Paramedics responded to a traffic collision involving a bicyclist on Alameda Avenue between Mariposa Street and Griffith Park Drive.

The bicyclist, identified as 52-year-old Lenny Trinh of Burbank, was riding eastbound on Alameda Avenue in a designated bicycle lane. A car had just parked along the curb line when its driver opened the driver's door in front of Mr. Trinh. Mr. Trinh struck the car door and was ejected from his bicycle. He was then struck by a passing pickup truck, which was traveling eastbound on Alameda Avenue.

Mr. Trinh was transported to a local hospital but was pronounced deceased a short time later.

The involved motorists are not being identified publicly. Both the driver of the truck and the parked vehicle were cooperative and remained at the scene to be interviewed by officers. Neither drugs nor alcohol appear to be factors in this collision.

This collision remains under the investigation of Burbank Police Traffic Detectives. Anyone who may have witnessed this collision is asked to contact the Burbank Police Traffic Bureau, at (818) 238-3100.

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