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Traffic Collision

At 2:27 PM on December 23rd, 2018 a Pleasanton Police Officer saw a motorcycle traveling at a high rate of speed on eastbound Stoneridge Drive at Hopyard Road. The patrol officer attempted to initiate a traffic enforcement stop on the motorcycle, however the motorcyclist rapidly accelerated away from the officer. As the motorcyclist rode into the intersection of Hacienda Drive he collided into the rear of an uninvolved vehicle causing the motorcyclist to be ejected from the motorcycle. Officers immediately began providing medical aid to the motorcyclist who was transported to Eden Hospital. His injuries are not considered to be life threatening. Nobody else was injured as a result of the collision.

The intersection was re-opened at 5:22 PM. California Highway Patrol is assisting with the traffic collision investigation at the request of the Pleasanton Police Department. The motorcyclist's identity is not being disclosed at this time. It is unknown at this time if alcohol or drugs were a factor in the collision. Anyone who witnessed the collision is asked to call the Pleasanton Police Department at (925) 931-5100.