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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Date:

### **Motorcyclist suffers major injury in single vehicle collision**

**Chico, CA** – On 4/18/19, at 10:27 p.m. The Chico Police Dispatch center received multiple 911 calls of a motorcyclist who had crashed on the 1500 block of W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street in Chico. The motorcyclist, identified as 23 year-old Brandon Molder, lost control of his motorcycle and slid under a parked vehicle. When Chico Police Officers arrived on scene, Molder was trapped under the parked vehicle. Chico Fire and Butte County EMS arrived, pulled Molder from the vehicle and transported him to Enloe Medical Center with major injuries. Molder's is currently reported to be in critical condition.

No other moving vehicles were involved in this collision and no other people were injured.

At this point, it is unknown if drug or alcohol impairment was a factor in this collision.

Location:	1500 block of W. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street
Date/Time:	04/18/19 2227 hours
Incident Case Number:	19-2755
Victim:	Brandon Molder, a 23 year-old Chico resident.
Supervisor:	T. Tupper S11
Watch Commander:	J. Struthers C8