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PRESS RELEASE

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ELMHURST POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING FATAL PEDESTRIAN TRAIN ACCIDENT

The Elmhurst Police Department is investigating a fatal pedestrian railway accident that occurred on June 19, 2016.

At 11:15 p.m. on June 19, 2016, an outbound Metra Train struck a pedestrian who was standing on the Union Pacific Railroad tracks at Arlington Ave. The victim died at the scene. Train traffic was impacted for a brief period of time but returned to normal service by the morning rush hour.

The victim has been identified as: James P. Halwix, age 79, of 415 N. York Street, Elmhurst, Illinois. This incident remains under investigation by the Investigations Division of the Elmhurst Police Department.

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