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Weld Jury Finds Former Sheriff's Deputy Guilty of Careless Driving

GREELEY, Colo. (Weld County D.A.) – Today in Weld County, a jury found a former sheriff's deputy guilty of careless driving for his involvement in a 2015 fatal crash.

The District Attorney's Office charged Timothy Boxley, 47, with Careless Driving Resulting in Death and Careless Driving, but after a few hours of deliberation, the jury found the former deputy guilty of Careless Driving.

The class 2 misdemeanor carries up to 90 days in jail.

The fatal crash happened on November 17, 2015 when Boxley was responding to an emergency call in Windsor. According to state patrol reports, he was driving 101 mph on U.S. 85 when he collided into another car that was crossing the intersection of the highway and County Road 66. The driver of the car, 74-year-old Jose Mercado Nova, of Gill, died several hours later in the hospital.

The investigation also showed Boxley did not turn on the car's emergency lights or sirens while driving at the high speeds.

Sentencing has been set for January 9 at 8:30 a.m. in Division 8.

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