Amador-CHP Investigates Major Injury Solo Vehicle Collision

The Amador CHP is currently investigating a solo vehicle-major injury accident from the weekend. According to the CHP, around 2:20 Saturday morning, 22 year old Mitchell Lubenko of Plymouth was traveling southbound on Latrobe road north of Lorentz road at an estimated speed of between 55 and 65 mph. Due to his reported level of intoxication, he allowed the vehicle, a Ford F-250 pick-up, to drift from the southbound lane, across the northbound lane and off the shoulder of the roadway. The vehicle subsequently collided with a barbed wire fence and a large oak tree. Lubenko’s passenger, 23 year old Nicholas Darrow, also of Plymouth, was not wearing a seatbelt and sustained Major life threatening injuries as a result of the collision. He was flown by medical helicopter to Sutter Roseville for treatment. Lubenko, was wearing a seatbelt and sustained minor injuries. The CHP reports, during the investigation of the accident, it was determined that Lubenko was driving under the influence of alcohol at the time of the collision. He was subsequently arrested for Felony DUI and after receiving medical treatment, was booked into the Amador County jail. No further information was released on Darrow’s condition.

