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Fort Polk child dies in traffic accident

Fort Polk, La—A 5-year-old child of a Fort Polk family died last night from injuries sustained during a traffic accident.

The child, who was riding his skateboard at the time, was hit by a pizza delivery driver who failed to see the child. The child was taken to Baynes Jones Army Community Hospital where he was pronounced dead at 8:06 p.m.

The incident is currently under investigation by Fort Polk Military Police and by CID (Criminal Investigation Division).