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**Sheriff Kandy Fatheree**  
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## **Fatal Crash in Green**

On April 17, 2026, at approximately 4:30 p.m., the Summit County Sheriff's Office and Green Fire Department responded to reports of a child that had been struck by a vehicle on Peachwood Way in the City of Green. A 2025 Jeep Wrangler had been traveling on Peachwood Way when a nine-year-old male ran into the street and was subsequently struck by the vehicle. The child was transported to Akron Children's Hospital by the Green Fire Department. He was later pronounced dead at the hospital.

The driver of the Jeep was identified as an 81-year-old male from the City of Green. Neither speed nor impairment appear to be a factor.

The crash remains under investigation by the Summit Metro Crash Response Team. Charges are pending the outcome of the investigation.