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SDPD OFFICERS ASSIST LOCAL FAMILY

(SAN DIEGO) On April 17, 2007 at about 7:30 a.m. Diana Aguilar, 26 was involved in a traffic collision at 29th and Market Streets. She died as a result of her injuries. Aguilar's 4-year-old daughter was in the car with her at the time of the collision and sustained minor injuries. She was treated and released from Rady Children's Hospital. Aguilar also has a ten-year-old daughter who was in school at the time of the collision.

Aguilar was a single mom who was struggling financially. When the officers who handled this incident discovered this, they began to try and find ways to assist the family with the funeral costs. Thus far, they have raised approximately $1200 and enlisted the aid of a local funeral home. A group of SDPD lieutenants, officers at Central Division and Our Saviors Lutheran Church have contributed to the Aguilar fund.

If anyone is interested in contributing to the fund for Diana Aguilar, please contact Officer Darryl Willis or Officer Carlos Amezcua at Central Division (619) 744-9500. A fund has been set up in memory of Diana Aguilar at the San Diego Police Officers Association. Tax id #33-0127369. Checks may be made out to SDPOA Charitable Fund for Diana Aguilar. SDPOA mailing address is 8388 Vickers Street, San Diego, 92111.

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