



**Humboldt County Sheriff's Office**  
**826 Fourth Street, Eureka, CA 95501**

**Date:** 09/28/2017  
3630)

**Subject:** Phillipsville man dies of injuries

**From:** Lt. Dennis Young (268-

**Case:** 201704714

On 09/24/2017 at about 1:15 AM, 21 year old Drake Gammell (DOB 11/03/1995) sustained major injuries in an incident on Highway 254 just north of Phillipsville. Gammell was taken to a local hospital where he was placed on life support. Gammell's family, who reside outside of California, arrived at the hospital and Gammell was taken off of life support. Gammell succumbed to his injuries yesterday, 09/27/2017. An autopsy was conducted, and the investigation is ongoing to determine cause of death.

William Honsal  
Sheriff