

Tire treads worn on bus in crash that killed 13

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The damaged front of a tour bus is seen that crashed into the back of a semi-truck on Interstate 10 just north of the desert resort town of Palm Springs, in Desert Hot Springs, Calif., Sunday. Several deaths and injuries were reported.

Despite the discovery, the cause of the crash remained undetermined and the NTSB was expected to take about a year to complete its investigation.

The California Highway

Patrol has said there was no indication that the driver, Teodulo Elias Vides, applied his brakes before hitting the truck that was going about 5 mph because of utility work being done in the area. The

bus was traveling at freeway speed, officials said.

Vides was among those killed in the crash.

Records kept by the CHP show that USA Holiday had been deemed unsatisfactory on several levels in the past, though it had not received that rating since 2010, when an unnamed company driver received an "unsatisfactory" rating overall and in relation to "controlled substance and alcohol testing results," the records show.

An unsatisfactory rating could be a paperwork issue or a genuine safety concern, and because the CHP only retains records for four years, none of the original reports from 2010 and before on USA Holiday still exist, the agency said.

Vides' overall inspection record was not alarming, a top CHP safety manager told The Associated Press.

"This is not out of the norm. Commercial motor vehicle operation and the requirements that go along with that are complex and extensive," said Cullen Siskind, manager of the CHP's motor carrier safety program.

USA Holiday had past problems but then appears to have self-corrected "and has had a very good record" over the past few years, Siskind said.

From 2005 through 2008, the company received a cluster of unsatisfactory ratings for maintenance, equipment and issues involving a driver. In 2011, Vides was pulled over for going more than 80 mph in a 70 mph zone a few miles from the site where the crash occurred Sunday.

He was also cited for driving with a suspended license but the charge was

dropped when Vides later produced a valid license, according to court records.

Vides, who is listed as the company's only driver in federal and state records, liked to joke with customers and playfully urged them during gambling excursions to casinos to save enough money for hamburgers, said Alba Martinez, a former customer. He told customers in Spanish as they returned to Los Angeles at sunrise from their weekend jaunts, "We've arrived at reality."

Martinez, 43, once asked Vides why he joked with his customers and he replied: "It's so they have some fun."

Martinez's friend, Dora Galvez de Rodriguez, was among the dead. On Tuesday, the CHP identified the 13th fatality — 50-year-old Tony Mai of Los Angeles.

Former Portland police chief faces misdemeanor charge

PORTLAND (AP) — Portland's former police chief has been indicted on a misdemeanor charge for accidentally shooting a friend during a hunting trip.

Larry O'Dea, 54, has been indicted in Harney County on a charge of negligently wounding another, *The Oregonian* reported.

The indictment states he "unlawfully and by failing to use ordinary care under the circumstances" shot his friend.

O'Dea resigned as Portland police chief in June, ending a nearly 30-year career amid criminal and internal investigations into whether he was forthright after the shooting during an April camping trip in eastern Oregon.

O'Dea had been chief for little more than a year when he went on the trip. He shot his friend, Robert Dempsey,

in the lower back with a .22 caliber rifle. Dempsey was treated at a Boise hospital but was not seriously hurt.

When a Harney County deputy responded to a 911 call after the shooting, O'Dea suggested the shooting had been self-inflicted, according to sheriff's reports.

A deputy who interviewed O'Dea at the scene wrote in a report that he smelled of alcohol. O'Dea denied being intoxicated, and his attorney, Derek Ashton, reiterated that contention.

O'Dea also didn't identify himself as Portland's police chief when deputies spoke with him. A few days later O'Dea told the Portland mayor that he had fired the shot. Harney County authorities didn't learn the truth until weeks later, when the victim finally spoke with an investigator.

Ryan urges Pentagon to suspend collection of Guard bonuses

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Paul Ryan on Tuesday called for the Pentagon to immediately suspend efforts to recover enlistment bonuses paid to thousands of soldiers in California, even as the Pentagon said late Tuesday the number of soldiers affected was smaller than first believed.

"When those Californians answered the call to duty" to serve in Iraq and Afghanistan, "they earned more from us than bureaucratic bungling and false promises," Ryan said. He urged the Pentagon to suspend collection efforts until "Congress has time ... to protect service members from lifelong liability for DOD's mistakes."

Ryan's comments came as the White House said President Barack Obama has warned the Defense Department not to "nickel and dime" service members

who were victims of fraud by overzealous recruiters.

White House spokesman Josh Earnest said Tuesday he did not believe Obama would support a blanket waiver of repayments, but said California National Guard members should not be held responsible for "unethical conduct or fraud perpetrated by someone else."

Defense Secretary Ash Carter, meanwhile, promised to resolve a festering conflict that has lingered for a decade.

The *Los Angeles Times* reported over the weekend that the Pentagon has demanded that some soldiers repay their enlistment bonuses after audits revealed overpayments by the California National Guard. Recruiters under pressure to fill ranks and hit enlistment goals at the height of the two wars improperly offered bonuses of \$15,000 or more to soldiers who re-enlisted.

Wednesday Morning

STATION	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	
FOX	11 KFFX	11 AgDay	Hot/ Cleve.	Good Day Spokane			Paid	Ocean M.	Steve Harvey		Crime Watch Daily		
FOX	KPTV	3 Good Day Oregon at 6	Good Day Oregon	Good Day Oregon			Good Day		The 700 Club		Rachael Ray (N)		
CBS	19 KEPR	2 News	News	CBS This Morning (N)			Harry (N)		The Price Is Right		Young & Restless		
CBS	KOIN	19 KOIN 6 News at 6 a.m.	CBS This Morning (N)				Let's Make a Deal		The Price Is Right		Young & Restless		
NBC	25 KNDU	6 Wake Up Northwest	Today Show Dr. Mehmet Oz (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)		Million? Million?		
NBC	KGW	8 KGW News at Sunrise	Today Show Dr. Mehmet Oz (N)				Today Show II (N)		Today Show III (N)		Portland Today		
ABC	42 KVEW	4 Northwest	Northwest	Good Morning America (N)			Live! With Kelly (N)		The View		Paid	Middle	
ABC	KATU	5 KATU News Morning	Good Morning America (N)				AM Northwest		The View		Live! With Kelly (N)		
PBS	31 KTNW	Stretch	W.L.Yoga	Wild Kratts	Jet Gol	Nature Cat	C.George	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	Sesame St.	Peg + Cat	DinoTrain	Sit and Fit
PBS	59 OPB	13 Power	Jet Gol	Nature Cat	C.George	D.Tiger	D.Tiger	Sesame St.	Peg + Cat	DinoTrain	DinoTrain	SuperWI	Thomas

AFTERNOON

STATION	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30		
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Paid	Pat. Court	Divorce	Divorce	Judge Mathis	The People's Court		2 1/2 Men	Pre-game	MLB Baseball			
FOX	KPTV	3 12 O'Clock News	Wendy Williams			The Dr. Oz Show (N)	TMZ Live!		Judge Judy	Pre-game	MLB Baseball			
CBS	19 KEPR	2 NameG.	Bold & B.	The Talk (N)		Let's Make a Deal	Dr. Phil		Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	News		
CBS	KOIN	19 News	Bold & B.	The Talk (N)		The Doctors	Dr. Phil		KOIN 6 News at 4 p.m.		News	News		
NBC	25 KNDU	6 TMZ	Paid	Days of Our Lives		Hot Bench	Hot Bench		Wendy Williams		Ellen DeGeneres (N)	News	NBC News	
NBC	KGW	8 KGW New	Paid	Days of Our Lives		T.D. Jakes (N)			Ellen DeGeneres (N)		KGW News	KGW News	NBC News	
ABC	42 KVEW	4 The Chew		General Hospital		The Doctors			Rachael Ray (N)		Minute	Minute	News	News
ABC	KATU	5 The Chew		General Hospital		Harry (N)			Afternoon Live		KATU News @ 4	News	News	
PBS	31 KTNW	Charlie Rose		Mexican	F&Porter	Stretch	Thomas	Arthur	Nature Cat	Jet Gol	Odd Squad	Wild Kratts	Business	
PBS	59 OPB	13 Paint	One Plate	Charlie Rose		Nature Cat	Bob Build	Cat/ Hat	Jet Gol	Speaks	WordGirl	Odd Squad	Wild Kratts	

EVENING

STATION	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30		
FOX	11 KFFX	11	MLB Baseball World Series (L)			Paid Program	Mike & Molly	Last Man Standing	2 Broke Girls	FOX News First at Ten	35 Law:CI A daring young man is murdered while attempting to steal an important piece of evidence.	35 Anger Management		
FOX	KPTV	3	MLB Baseball World Series (L)			FOX 12's 8 O'Clock News on PDX-TV	Family Feud	Family Feud	10 O'Clock News		11 O'Clock News	2 Broke Girls		
CBS	19 KEPR	2	Action News at 6 p.m.	Inside Edition	The Big Bang Theory	Simpsons "Treehouse of Horror XIX"	Survivor: Millennials vs. Gen X "The Truth Works Well" (N)	C.Minds The BAU team searches for a serial killer along the Appalachian Trail in rural Virginia.	C Black On Halloween Willis, Noa & Elliott rush to the scene of a fire at a haunted theater.		Action News at 11:00 p.m.	35 S. Colbert Joel McHale		
CBS	KOIN	19	KOIN Local 6 at 6	Evening News	Extra	Ent. Tonight	Survivor "The Truth Works Well" (N)	Criminal Minds "Keeper" (N)	Code Black "Demons and Angels" (N)		KOIN 6 News/ 11	35 S. Colbert		
NBC	25 KNDU	6	Local News	Family Feud	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Blind A beautiful Jane Doe is discovered, naked, in Times Square with no memory of her life.	SVU A sergeant makes Benson choose between loyalty & duty when his son is accused of rape.	Chicago "A War Zone" Intelligence is tasked with tracking down the dealers of fentanyl. (N)		Local News	35 The Tonight Show		
NBC	KGW	8	KGW News at 6:00 p.m.		Live at 7		Blindspot		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Rape Interrupted" (N)	Chicago P.D. "A War Zone" (N)	KGW News	35 Tonight at 11		
ABC	42 KVEW	4	Extra	Local News at 6:30	Entertainment Tonight	The Insider	The Goldbergs "H-A-L-L-O-W-E-E-N" (N)	Speechless "H-A-L-L-O-W-E-E-N" (N)	Modern Family (N)	Black-ish "The Purge" (N)	Designated Survivor "The Mission" (N)	News /05 Kimmel This distinctive late-night talk show features celebrity guests, bands & comedy.		
ABC	KATU	5	KATU News at 6		Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Goldberg (N)	Speechless (N)	Modern Family (N)	Black "The Purge" (N)	Designated Survivor "The Mission" (N)	KATU News	35 Jimmy Kimmel	
PBS	31 KTNW		PBS NewsHour		BBC World News	WealthTrack	Nature (N)		Nova "Sinkholes: Buried Alive"		Secrets of the Dead "After Stonehenge" (N)	Charlie Rose (N)		
PBS	59 OPB	13	Journeys in Japan	Nightly Business	PBS NewsHour		Nature "Cold Warriors: Wolves and Buffalo"		Nova "Sinkholes: Buried Alive"		Secrets of the Dead "After Stonehenge" (N)	Dream On		
A&E	52	The First 48 "Deal Breaker" Gun Play	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	05 Duck Dynasty	35 Duck Dynasty	
AMC	60	Child's Play 2 The manufacturers of Chucky reconstruct the killer doll to prove nothing is wrong with it.				Child's Play 3: Look Who's Stalking A killer doll returns to transfer his soul into another unsuspecting child.				Bride of Chucky Chucky & his girlfriend search for the amulet that will turn them back into humans.				
ANPL	24	Insane Pools DeepEnd	Insane Pools DeepEnd			Treehouse Masters	Tree. Mast: Branched	Tree. Mast: Branched	Country Rockin' Cribbs		Tree. Mast: Branched			
CMT	43	The Naked Gun	Leslie Nielsen.			The Naked Gun	(88, Com) Leslie Nielsen.		Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne		
CNBC	72	Jay Leno's Garage	Jay Leno "Supercars"			Jay Leno's Garage	Jay Leno's Garage		Jay Leno's Garage		Paid	Paid		
CNN	68	Anderson Cooper 360	CNN Tonight			CNN Tonight	Anderson Cooper 360		Anderson Cooper 360		CNN Tonight			
DISC	51	Naked and Afraid	Naked "Rise Above"			Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid			
DISN	26	Halloweentown 2...	Halloweentown High			MiloLaw	Bizaard.	Walk	Babysitter	The Lodge	Austin/Ally	Bizaard.		
ESPN	33	NBA Basketball Oklahoma City Thunder at Philadelphia 76ers (L)	NBA Basketball Houston Rockets at Los Angeles Lakers Site: Staples Center -- Los Angeles, Calif. (L)						SportsCenter		SportsCenter			
ESPN2	34	MLS Soccer Playoffs (L)	SportsCenter			SportsCenter	SportsCenter		Baseball T.	NFL Live		J & J (N)		
FN	66	Presidential Debate				The O'Reilly Factor	The Kelly File		Hannity		On the Record			
FOOD	61	Chopped	Chopped			WorstCooks	WorstCooks (N)		Halloween Wars		Hallow "Hybrid Horror"			
FREE	32	Dark Shadows (12, Fant) Johnny Depp.				20 Dark Shadows (99, Hor) Christina Ricci, Johnny Depp.			AHS 6 "Chapter 7" (N)		AHS 6 "Chapter 7"			
FX	65	The Purge (13, Hor) Ethan Hawke.				The Purge: Anarchy Frank Grillo.			AHS 6 "Chapter 7" (N)		AHS 6 "Chapter 7"			
GOLF	88	Driver "The Process"	Lessons	Golf Cent.					Golf WGC - HSBC Champions Round 1 Site: Sheshan International Golf Club -- Shanghai, China (L)					
GSN	76	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Baggage	Baggage		
HALL	87	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Middle	Middle	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls		
HGTV	62	Buying and Selling	Buying and Selling			Property Brothers	Property Brothers (N)		H.Hunt (N)	House (N)	Property Brothers			
HIST	50	American Pickers "Hometown Pickin'"	American Pickers "The Numbers Game"			A. Pickers "Backroad Barnstorming"			Pickers "Tough Nut to Crack" (N)		American Pickers "Can't Catch a Break"		05 American Pickers "When Horses Fly"	
LIFE	29	Little Women: LA	Women "Name Game"			Little Women: LA (N)			Little Women: LA (N)		LW Atlanta (N)		Little Women: LA	
NICK	27	H.Danger	H.Danger	Rank the	The Thundermans	All In (N)	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends		
ROOT	37	Ship Shape TV	Seahawk Press (N)	In Depth (N)	Halls of Fame	NPGL Fitness Phoenix Rise vs. Miami Surge			Seahawks Press Pass	Seahawks Access (N)	The Game 365	H.S. Football		
SPIKE	42	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Lip Sync Battle "Texas"	Lip Sync Battle	Lip Sync Battle	Lip Sync Battle		That Awkward Game "Pimpin' Ain't Easy" (N)		That Awkward "She Likes Chubby Guys"	
SYFY	67	The Box		Maleficent (14, Adv) Angelina Jolie.			Ghost Hunters (N)		Para. Witness (N)		Ghost Hunters			
TBS	59	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinf. "The Stake Out"	Seinf. "The Robbery"	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan Elijah Wood, Joy Bryant, Tove Lo (N)	
TCM	56	The Last Hurrah Spencer Tracy.		15 All the President's Men Two reporters expose the greatest scandal in American political history, Watergate.					45 The Best Man Two presidential hopefuls get caught up in the dirty side of politics.		45 The Candidate			
TLC	49	Toddlers & Tiaras	Toddlers & Tiaras			Toddlers & Tiaras (N)			Toddlers & Tiaras (N)		Little Miss Atlanta (N)		Toddlers & Tiaras	
TNT	57	Bones	Bones			Bones			Bones		Bones			
UNI	21	Vino el amor	El color de la pasion			Impacto	Noticie.	Despertar contigo	La rosa de Guadalupe		Incluido	Noticiero		
USA	58	NCIS "Alleged"	NCIS "Shooter"			NCIS "Déjà Vu"			NCIS "React"		NCIS "Loose Cannons"		Modern	Modern
WE	118	CSI "All Fall Down"	CSI: Miami "Fallen"			CSI: Miami			CSI: Miami "Backfire"		CSI: Miami "Meltedown"		CSI "Mommie Dearest"	
WGN		Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Rules	Rules		
STZ ENC	644	The Count of Monte Cristo				Wild Hogs John Travolta.			45 Bad Girls Drew Barrymore.		Movie			
HBO	518	Joy Jennifer Lawrence.		Vice News		The Kingdom (07, Act) Jamie Foxx.			Wednes	Westworld		Movie		
HBO2	520	The Bourne Ultimatum Julia Stiles.				LastWeek 135 Insecure			15 Ride Along 2 (16, Act/Com) Ice Cube.		Wednes	Divorce		
HBO3	521	Jurassic World		55 By the Sea (15, Dra) Angelina Jolie.					The Danish Girl (15, Bio) Eddie Redmayne.		Charlie Wilson's...			
MAX	549	15 Live Free or Die Hard (07, Act) Bruce Willis.				25 Raising Arizona			Quarry		55 Hitman			
SHOW	578	Along Came a Sp...		15 Shaft (00, Act) Samuel L. Jackson.					Doin' Time		The Original Kings of Comedy			
STARZ	621	15 Serendipity John Cusack.		25 Careful What You Wish For					Blunt Talk		The Game Plan Dwayne Johnson.		Movie	

NIGHT OWL

STATION	12 AM	12:30	1 AM	1:30	2 AM	2:30	3 AM	3:30	4 AM	4:30	5 AM	5:30		
FOX	11 KFFX	11	05 Friends	35 Hot In	05 CR TV Featuring a selection of products and services.							CR TV		
FOX	KPTV	3	2 Broke G.	TMZ	Dish	Queens	Raising	Celeb	Paid	Paid	Minute	News	Good Day Oregon at 5	
CBS	19 KEPR	2	Colbert (N)	35 James Corden (N)	35 Paid	05 CBS Overnight News					News	News	News	
CBS	KOIN	19	S. Colbert	35 James Corden	35 Insider	05 CBS Overnight News					News	News	KOIN 6 News at 5 a.m.	
NBC	25 KNDU	6	Tonight	35 Seth Meyers (N)	35 C. Daly	05 Today Show	Mad Money				News	Wake Up Northwest		
NBC	KGW	8	Tonight	35 Seth Meyers (N)	35 C. Daly	05 Steve Harvey	Mad Money				News	KGW News	KGW News at Sunrise	
ABC	42 KVEW	4	05 Nightl.	35 Paid	05 ABC World News Now						News	News	Northwest	Northwest
ABC	KATU	5	J. Kimmel	35 Nightl.	05 Paid	05 ABC World News Now					News	News	KATU News Morning	
PBS	31 KTNW		Food	Japan	Nature		Nova		POV "Thank You for Playing"		Sky Island		The Contenders	
PBS	59 OPB	13	Dream On	Journey	The Contenders		American Masters "Norman Lear"		On Story		Art 21st "Vancouver"		Business	BBC News

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