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Family settles for more than \$1 million after fatal bicycle accident

The widow, mother and five sons of a man who died in a bicycle mishap recovered \$1,075,000 from two entities on Feb. 28. On July 27, 2005, E. Wayne Campbell was riding a bicycle on Loop 1604 in San Antonio. Jose Flores, who was operating a tractor-trailer owned by Rocking P Trucking, struck and killed Campbell while turning into a quarry site owned by Vulcan Materials. The plaintiffs charged that the tractor-trailer had numerous safety violations; that Flores had an invalid driver's license; and that the driveway was too narrow. The defense countered that Campbell ran a stop sign and the investigating police officer agreed. Rocking P and Flores settled for \$1 million. Vulcan Materials settled for \$75,000.

Campbell v. Rocking P Trucking Inc., No. 2005-PC-2479

Court: Bexar County Probate Court No. 1

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