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Halton Hills Fire Department firefighters work together to open a door on the overturned Honda sedan.

Photo submitted

## Probe continues into double fatal crash

Halton Regional Police Reconstruction Officers continue to investigate the fatal traffic collision that occurred at Trafalgar Rd and Five Sideroad in the south end of Halton Hills on Monday, July 14.

Next of kin have been located and identified but Halton Regional Police will not be releasing the identity of the victims. Halton Police confirmed that all four passengers of a Honda Civic were from Brampton.

Halton Police Sgt. Chantal Corner said a male and female, believed to be in their 50s, were pronounced dead at the scene.

According to Halton Police, around 6 p.m. Monday evening a dump truck collided with a Honda Civic at the intersection causing catastrophic damage to both vehicles. After the initial collision, the dump truck struck a large light standard then veered off into a nearby cornfield. Its fuel tank ruptured and the front of the truck became engulfed in flames.

The Honda overturned and two of the four occupants were ejected. The driver of the Honda was extricated from the car then airlifted to Sunnybrook Hospital in critical condition. He has since been upgraded

to serious but stable. A third passenger was transported by EMS to Milton District Hospital with minor injuries, as was the dump truck driver.

Due to the large area of spilled diesel fuel, the intersection was closed until Tuesday morning. The Ministry of the Environment was on scene, supervising the excavation and removal of diesel-soaked soil from the farmer's field.

There is no word yet on charges. Police say there were many witnesses, but anyone with information is being asked to call Det. Const. Kevin Rye at 905-825-4747, ext. 5056.

## Group named Acton Citizen of the Year

By EAMONN MAHER  
Staff Writer

Having reached a couple of major milestones in 2014, the organizing committee for the Paul Murr Memorial Golf Tournament received another feather in its cap this past week by being collectively named the Rotary Club of Acton's Citizen of the Year.

The 30th-annual tournament raised more than \$53,000 at this year's event in May to surpass the \$1 million mark in funds raised for cancer research.

"It's something we're proud of, but the people we have to thank the most are the people who come out to the tournament and support us year after year," said committee member John McNabb.

"It seems like the same group of people every year. It's the first big tournament for the spring and I think that it's popular because of when it takes place. Being in early May, you take your chances with the weather—and we have had some cold and rainy days—we've been pretty lucky for the most part," he said.

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