



PRESS RELEASE

Case #14-500493

Man Arrested after Striking Pedestrian in Crosswalk

January 10, 2014 --Yesterday a man struck a pedestrian crossing SW Barnes Road near the Catlin Gable School. The driver left the scene and was later arrested for DUII and other related charges. The victim suffered non-life-threatening injuries.

On January 09, 2014, at about 5:08 p.m., Sheriff's deputies responded to SW Barnes Road and SW 88th Avenue on a report of a hit-and-run crash involving a pedestrian. Deputies contacted the victim who told them he was crossing the street in a crosswalk with a "walk" signal lit. He saw a 2001 Honda CRV headed toward him and tried to jump out of the way before he was struck.



The Honda, driven by Patrick Jones, 59, of Beaverton, struck the 27-year-old Portland man. The victim was thrown into the air and landed on the car, shattering the windshield. The victim told deputies that Mr. Jones stopped briefly and then left the scene. The victim suffered non-life-threatening injuries.

A witness to the crash gave deputies the license plate that she had taken down after the crash. The deputies were able to find a phone number for Mr. Jones and they called him. He agreed to meet with them and was arrested at about 9:13 p.m.

Mr. Jones was booked into the Washington County Jail on charges of DUII, Reckless Driving, Fail to Perform the Duties of a Driver (Hit and Run), and Assault in the Forth Degree. His bail was set at \$20,000.