



WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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PRESS RELEASE

Case#: 15-500092

Hit and Run Driver arrested after Crashing Pickup

Friday, January 02, 2015 – Today, a man crashed into the rear of a car at a stop light and then fled the scene. Deputies located the suspect just after he ran off the road and rolled his vehicle. He received minor injuries in the crash.

On Friday, January 02, 2015, at about 3:45 p.m., a man called 911 to report that his car had been struck from behind by a pickup truck and the driver was leaving the scene. The man was following the suspect vehicle, a 1984 Toyota Pickup, from the scene of the crash at SW Kinnaman Road and SW 175th Avenue.



As the victim was following the suspect, Juan Jose Guerrero from McMinnville, he was relaying the location to dispatch. Deputies closed in on Mr. Guerrero and about the same time they caught up, the suspect ran off the road and flipped his pickup truck. Deputies helped Mr. Guerrero out of the vehicle and quickly observed that he was intoxicated.

He was transported to Oregon Health Sciences University with non-life-threatening injuries. Mr. Guerrero was arrested for Hit and Run, DUII, Reckless Driving and given a citation to appear in court.

The victim of the crash was not injured.