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MEDIA RELEASE

5th Offense OWI Arrest/OWI Causing Injury

For Immediate Release

Date: 06/17/2020

Case: SO2024207

Contact Person

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On June 17, 2020 at approximately 11:20 am, Deputies from the Rock County Sheriff's Office along with Janesville Fire and EMS were dispatched to the area of S USH 51 and W Happy Hollow Road in Rock Township for a two-vehicle traffic crash with injuries.

Upon arrival, Deputies made contact with one of the drivers involved, Mary J. Harris, 54, of Beloit, WI. Harris displayed signs of being intoxicated and admitted she had been drinking alcohol prior to driving. After field sobriety tests were completed, Harris was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated 5th Offense and OWI causing injury, which are Felonies.

Harris was transported to the Rock County Jail and will be held for Jail Court.

Mary J. Harris



"Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3.6, Trial Publicity, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty."

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