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MEDIA RELEASE

Beloit Man Arrested for Felony Charges after Hit and Run Crash

For Immediate Release

Date: May 29, 2020
Case: SO2021566

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On May 29, 2020 at 7:04 p.m. Rock County Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to a two vehicle crash at East State Highway 67 and South Stateline Road in Turtle Township. A vehicle traveling westbound on Highway 67 driven by Timothy Holmes, 27 years old from Beloit, rear ended a car that was turning south onto Stateline Road. Both vehicles continued westbound and came to a stop in the ditch. Holmes, and two passengers in the vehicle he was driving, fled the crash scene on foot. A 44 year old male from Sharon, Wisconsin was a passenger in the vehicle that was rear ended and sustained very serious injuries and was transported to Javon Bea Hospital in Rockford. After about an hour, Holmes and his passengers were located and taken to a hospital for treatment of injuries. Holmes was arrested for hit and run causing great bodily harm, knowingly operating while revoked causing great bodily harm, and reckless driving causing great bodily harm, all felony charges. The Rock County Sheriff's Office drone team and crash reconstruction team, and Beloit and Clinton Police assisted with the investigation which is still ongoing.

"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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