

NARRATIVE

On 3/31/2025, at approximately 1436 hours, I was dispatched the intersection of New Brooklyn Rd and Fletcher Bay for report of a single car collision. Enroute I was advised there was a vehicle down in the ditch and the driver was having difficulty getting out and appeared to have minor injuries. I arrived on scene first, prior to fire department. I observed a blue Honda Fit, on its wheels, in down in approximately a 6 feet deep ditch. The driver, later identified with hard ID as [REDACTED], was standing nearby with some good samaritans. As I approached [REDACTED], I observed some blood on both his legs. I asked [REDACTED] if he was doing okay. [REDACTED] stated he was, but shaken up from the crash. I advised [REDACTED] the fire department was right behind me and would check him out as soon as they got her.

In the mean time, I asked [REDACTED] what happened. [REDACTED] stated he had looked down at his phone and next thing he knew he was going off the road. [REDACTED] denied any use of drugs or alcohol. I only spoke to [REDACTED] for a short period before Bainbridge Island Fire Department(BIFD) arrived and evaluated [REDACTED], but in that short time, I did not smell any odor of alcohol nor did I find any sign of impairment that cause me to suspect [REDACTED] was under the influence.

In the fire deperment evaluation, they discovered [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED]. The medics on scene stated they believed this could be a contributing factor to the crash as a [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED] Willie was aware of his surroundings and aware of what time and year it was, but stated to medics he did not have a good recollection of the collision. [REDACTED] also stated that he has been told he was a [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED] but from what I gathered from [REDACTED] wife on scene is that [REDACTED] does not believe that and does not regulate his blood sugar properly.

[REDACTED] wife, [REDACTED], is the registered owner of the vehicle. She was not in the vehicle at the time, but came to the scene after she had heard about the crash.

BIFD medics stated that [REDACTED] had a concerning [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED] appearing to have come from the impact with the steering wheel. Between this and his [REDACTED] Medical [REDACTED] they left the scene shortly after and transported [REDACTED] to Saint Michael's Medical Center.

[REDACTED], the owner stated she did not have a means of getting the vehicle out of the ditch and wanted the vehicle impounded. I remained on scene for Kitsap Tow. The vehicle was removed from the ditch by tow operator Sutton and taken to impound.

End of Report

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