

Mason City Police Department

PRESS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Re: Truck-Pedestrian Collision on Nov 7, 2018 at 10:47 PM

Nov 7, 2018, at 10:47 pm, Mason City Police and Fire Department personnel responded to a collision between a truck and a pedestrian in the 1700 block of S Eisenhower Ave. Jay Paulsen of Mason City, IA, was driving a Chevy S10 pick up truck northbound and struck a pedestrian, Jason Garcia, of Mason City. Garcia was walking northbound with another pedestrian on Eisenhower. Garcia was walking on / in the traveled portion of the roadway when struck. Garcia's acquaintance was to the right, on the shoulder, and not struck.

Garcia was transported to Mercy Hospital for extensive injuries. Garcia was then transported to Mayo Hospital.

Paulsen has been cited and released for Driving Under Suspension. The collision remains under investigation. ♦

"AN ARREST WITHOUT DISPOSITION IS NOT AN INDICATION OF GUILT"

**Citizens with information about a crime are encouraged to call
CrimeStoppers at 1-800-383-0088. Rewards are available.**