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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: MVA/Mobile Home Date: Thursday, November 29, 2007

From: Sgt. Steve D. Hernandez Case or Incident # 2007-041185

Summary:

On 11/29/07, at approximately 7:12 pm, the Juneau Police Department received a report of a motor vehicle collision involving a truck and a mobile home. The location was determined to be at a mobile home park in the Mendenhall Valley. The caller stated a truck had collided with a mobile home in the park and the driver had fled.

Upon Officers arrival, they determined that a 1989 Dodge pickup operated by an adult male had been driven into the trailer park. The driver had exited the vehicle and got into a physical altercation with a second adult male. During the altercation, the first driver reentered the Dodge pickup and drove it into a 1990 Chevrolet pickup, which was occupied by the second adult male. The Chevrolet pickup sustained minor damage during the collision.

The second male exited the Chevrolet pickup and confronted the first male, who was still in the Dodge pickup. The first male accelerated the Dodge pickup in reverse and collided with an adjacent mobile home. The rear of the Dodge impacted the front of a mobile home, causing approximately \$15,000 in damage. No occupants of the mobile home were injured.

The driver of the Dodge truck fled the area on foot. Officers searched the area, but were unable to locate the driver.

The Dodge pickup was seized as evidence and the case remains under investigation.

If anyone has any information concerning this case, they are encouraged to call the Juneau Police Department at 586-0600.

Any charges reported in this press release are merely accusations and the defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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