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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Assault Case or Incident: 100216-027

From: Capt. Jerry Nankervis Date: 02-18-10

Update:

Officers located the suspect in this case, a 43 year old male Juneau resident. After interviewing the victim, suspect and witnesses, the following charges against the man are being forwarded to the District Attorney's Office for consideration: Assault in the First Degree (A Felony), Duty of an Operator to Give Information & Render Assistance (C Felony), Unlawful Contact in the First Degree (A Misdemeanor), and Violation of Conditions of Release (B Misdemeanor). Alcohol is not believed to have been a factor with the driver.

From: Sgt. Hatch

Summary: 02-17-10

On 02-16-10 at about 9:50 p.m., the Juneau Police Dept. and Capitol City Fire Rescue responded to a report of a woman that was struck by a motor vehicle on Back Loop Rd at Mint Way. The driver of the vehicle was reported to have left the area.

On arrival, Officers contacted a 45 year old Juneau woman that was suffering from injuries to her extremities. She was tended to by CCFR and ultimately transported to Bartlett Regional Hospital for evaluation of non-life threatening injuries.

Investigation into this case revealed the victim knew her assailant and it is domestic violence related. Officers were unable to locate the suspect, however, there are strong leads in this case. Alcohol was a factor and the investigation is continuing.

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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