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Deputies Arrest Hit and Run Driver for DUI-5th



Milwaukee, WI – Last night, at about 9:10 p.m., MCSO dispatch received a 911 call regarding a hit and run crash on I-43 southbound near Holt Avenue. The caller followed the pickup that had sideswiped another vehicle and exited the freeway. A deputy stopped the pickup truck in the 3300 block of S. 8th Street.

Mark D. Strong, age 45, of Milwaukee, had an open can of beer in the cup holder of the center console and tested .12 on the PBT. He said he had two beers at the Uptowner, 1032 E. Center Street, in Milwaukee.

Strong was arrested for his fifth drunken driving offense. His four prior convictions were in June 2001, July 2001, December 2002, and May 2011. He faces charges of DUI-5th, Operating with Prohibited Alcohol Concentration-5th, Operating After Revocation; and felony Duty Upon Striking Occupied Vehicle. If convicted of these charges, he faces up to eight years in prison.

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