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Deputies Stop Wrong-Way Confused Driver on Freeway

Milwaukee, WI – Yesterday, at about 9:00 p.m., MCSO dispatch received 911 calls reporting a wrong-way driver traveling northbound in the southbound lanes of I-94 at Ryan Road. The operator corrected himself, and a deputy found him stopped in a distress lane at the county line.

The driver, an 80-year-old man from Elk River, Minnesota, was disoriented and required medical attention. The deputy found that he was listed as a missing person with a disability. The man had been missing since May 30 and was without his medications. He was reunited with family members from Minneapolis.

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