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### **Deputies Arrest Man for DUI- 5<sup>th</sup> and Another for DUI-4<sup>th</sup> with Child in Car**



Brian Talaska – DUI-5<sup>th</sup> Kevin Caldwell – DUI-4<sup>th</sup>

**Milwaukee, WI – Sheriff's deputies arrested two repeat drunken driving offenders early this morning, one for DUI-5<sup>th</sup>, the other for DUI-4<sup>th</sup> with Minor Passenger in the car.**

**Just after 12:30 a.m., a deputy assisting at a traffic stop saw a vehicle speeding through a turn, with tires squealing, at Layton Avenue and S. 84<sup>th</sup> Street. The deputy stopped the vehicle on I-894 northbound near Beloit Road, where the driver stopped in traffic.**

**Brian R. Talaska, age 34, of Milwaukee, registered a .20 on a PBT and was arrested for a felony DUI-5<sup>th</sup> offense. Talaska said he had seven beers at Mad Dog Saloon, 4395 S. 76<sup>th</sup> Street, in Greenfield. He was also cited for Unreasonable and Imprudent Speed and Prohibited Alcohol Concentration (PAC)-5<sup>th</sup> Offense. His four prior DUI convictions were in April 2001, July 2001, February 2005, and July 2009. He faces up to six years and six months in prison if convicted for this fifth offense.**

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**Dispatch received a call from a county Park Ranger who saw a car almost strike a light pole on Lagoon Drive in Veteran's Park at 4:15 a.m. He saw that there was a child and an open beer in the car.**

**Deputies responded and found Kevin Ramone Caldwell Sr., age 49, of Milwaukee, on a bench with a two-year-old boy. He refused to perform field sobriety tests and became highly agitated. Caldwell was transported to Froedtert Hospital for a blood draw, and refused. A judge approved a search warrant to obtain the blood draw.**

**Caldwell has three prior DUI convictions, from June 2002, March 2005, and January 2014. He was on probation for his last DUI conviction. An enhancer for having a minor child under the age of 16 in the vehicle will be added to the DUI-4<sup>th</sup> offense. This is a felony DUI-4<sup>th</sup> since his last conviction was within five years, and the enhancer will double the penalties. Caldwell faces up to 12 years in prison if convicted.**

**The child's biological parents were not on the scene, and Child Protective Services was called. The mother met with a social worker with the Bureau of Child Welfare and the child was turned over to her at 8:20 a.m.**

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