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Pedestrian Struck, Killed on Freeway



Larry Bishop – driver of striking vehicle

Milwaukee, WI – Last night at 9:40 p.m. the county communications center received 9-1-1 calls about a pedestrian wearing black clothing walking on the freeway near the Marquette Interchange, westbound on I-94. The pedestrian was observed being struck in lane 5 by a white SUV.

Video showed the driver of the SUV stop, look in the area where the pedestrian had landed from the impact, pick up debris that came off his vehicle and exit at 25th Street. Milwaukee Police Department officers received the teletype of the hit and run vehicle description, and had seen a vehicle matching the description at a gas station. The vehicle was found abandoned at 35th and State Street.

MPD officers located the driver, Larry Bishop, age 29, of Milwaukee, a few blocks away, with the keys to the SUV in his pocket. Bishop was arrested for Operating While Suspended Causing Death, and Hit and Run Causing Death. The two felony charges carry a maximum total of 31 years in prison.

The 30-year-old pedestrian died at the scene. His identity is not being released, pending notification of relatives.

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