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NEWS RELEASE
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VPD Report Number: Date/Time Occurred:

19-015570 / 02/24/2019 / 1450 hours

Type of Incident: Location:

Single Vehicle into a structure major-injury Traffic Collision: Cecil Ave at Stover St.

Involved Parties:

Joshua Hammond (54yoa Visalia) – Driving a Chevy SUV (V-1) – solo occupant Adult Female – inside the residence

Details:

On the listed date and time, Visalia Police Department Patrol Officers responded to a Traffic Collision involving a vehicle into a structure. Officers responded and found the driver of the Chevy SUV had collided with a residence in the 1500 block of E Cecil. The vehicle had collided with the front bedroom and was approximately 10 feet into the room. An adult female was also in that room and was trapped against a wall. Visalia Fire Department extracted both individuals while also containing a fire which was a result of the collision. The female suffered significant injuries and was transported to a local hospital for treatment. Hammond was medically cleared and booked into jail for DUI with injuries. The Visalia Police Motors Unit is still investigating the collision.

Investigating Officers: Supervisor:

Visalia PD Traffic Unit: Sgt. Mark Feller

