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POLICE INVESTIGATING SINGLE VEHICLE ACCIDENT

SUFFOLK, Virginia (May 29, 2015) Suffolk Police are currently investigating a single vehicle accident that occurred in the 4100 block of Deer Path Road in the rural Whaleyville Borough shortly after midnight.

Emergency Communications received the call at 12:34 a.m. advising of the accident involving a Ford sedan. Upon preliminary investigation it was found that the vehicle ran off the roadway, collided with an electrical pole and came to rest in a ditch. Wires were down across the roadway, which was briefly closed, and Dominion Power also responded to the scene. Electrical power in the immediate area was affected.

Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel provided emergency medical assessment and treatment and the 18-year old male driver was airlifted by Nightingale to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital for treatment of non-life threatening injuries. A passenger did not require medical attention and refused treatment.

The cause of the accident is under investigation.

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