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SUFFOLK POLICE AND SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPOND TO TWO VEHICLE ACCIDENT

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 29, 2017) Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the scene of auto accident involving two vehicles in the 2100 block of North Main Street this morning. Suffolk Emergency Communications was notified of the accident at 9:06 a.m.

Officers determined that a Kia minivan was traveling southbound on North Main Street and struck a Ford Mustang leaving the 7-Eleven store at that location. The driver of the Mustang was pinned inside his vehicle for several minutes until Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel were able to pry the door open. Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel provided emergency medical assessment and treatment for the male victim who was ground transported to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital with serious but non-life threatening injuries. A passenger in the Mustang was not injured. The driver of the minivan refused treatment and transport.

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North Main Street was closed in both directions for a brief period of time until an Officer began to alternate traffic on the southbound side of the roadway. The roadway was completely reopened after approximately 30 minutes.

The driver of the Mustang was ticketed for failure to yield.

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