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MOTOR VEHICLE CRASH

On Saturday, 03/13/10 at 10:07 p.m., the Plainfield Police Department responded to a report of a traffic crash with injuries on IL Route 59 south of Feeney Drive. Upon arrival, Officers located three vehicles involved in the collision.

1. A white, 2009, Dodge Ram pickup driven by Elaine Houser, 60 years-of-age, of Plainfield, Illinois.
2. A silver, 2003, Nissan 350 Z driven by Christopher Carter, 21 years-of-age, of Scott Depot, West Virginia.
3. A grey, 2007, Honda Accord driven by Antonio Rodriguez, 45 years-of-age, of Plainfield, Illinois.

Preliminary investigation indicated the Dodge was southbound on Route 59. The Dodge crossed the center line and collided with the Nissan which was northbound Route 59. The Dodge then collided with the Honda, also northbound on Route 59.

Christopher Carter and Antonio Rodriguez were both transported to Provena, Saint Joseph's Hospital in Joliet, Illinois. Also transported to Saint Joseph's Hospital were:

Alexandra Naddaf, 17 years-of-age, of Naperville, IL, a passenger in the Nissan.
Dolores Rodriguez, 44 years-of-age, of Plainfield, IL, a passenger in the Honda.

Elaine Houser was taken into custody and charged with Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, Operation of an Uninsured Vehicle and Improper Lane Usage. She was released on bond.

Route 59 remained closed until 3:44 a.m. on 03/14/10 while members of the Plainfield Police Department's Traffic Unit investigated the collision.

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