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Date/Time of Release: 06/18/2019 at 9:30 P.M.

Date of Incident Occurrence: 06/18/2019 at 3:14 P.M.

Nature of Event: Motor vehicle accident involving car and pedestrian.

**Location of Event Occurrence: South Fulton St. at East Genesee St.
Auburn, NY**

Media Release Written By: Det. D. Edmonds #0439

The Auburn Police Department would like to report a motor vehicle accident involving a pick-up truck and pedestrian that occurred at the intersection of S. Fulton St. and E. Genesee St. in the city of Auburn, NY. Based on the current and on-going investigation, it was determined that the involved pick-up truck was being operated by an 80 year old male from Auburn, NY. The pick-up was traveling in a Northerly direction in the Western most lane of S. Fulton St. near the intersection of Genesee St. The traffic light turned green, signaling the North bound traffic on S. Fulton St. to continue their respective direction of travel. The pick-up made a left handed turn towards the West bound lanes of E. Genesee St. and subsequently struck a 26 year old male pedestrian; also from Auburn, NY. It was determined the male pedestrian was walking in a Northerly direction in the Western most cross walk located at the intersection when he was struck by the pick- up.

As a result of the collision, several witnesses and Good Samaritans provided initial medical attention until the Auburn Fire Department and TLC Ambulance crews provided further medical attention upon their arrival. As a result of the pedestrians' injuries, the male was transported to Upstate Medical University for a further evaluation. The male was coherent and in stable condition at Upstate Medical University, but will be held for further evaluation and precautionary measures.

It was determined the driver of the involved pick-up was not under the influence of alcohol or drugs. At this time, no charges or tickets have been issued, but subject to change pending the on-going investigation.

Please contact the Auburn Police Department at (315) 253-3231 or Det. Edmonds (315) 258-9880 with any pertinent information regarding the incident.

