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NEWS RELEASE

April 18, 2023

VPD Report Number: 23-032021

Date/Time Occurred: April 17, 2023 at 8:41 P.M.

Type of Incident: Driving Under the Influence Traffic
Collision with Injuries

Location: Houston Ave. and Demaree St.

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:

1. Piceno, Norma

Age:

51

Arrested:

Yes

Details: On April 17, 2023, at 8:41 P.M., Officers responded to the intersection of Houston Avenue and Demaree Street for a report of a two-vehicle traffic collision. When officers arrived, they learned 51-year-old Norma Piceno and her passenger were driving northbound on Demaree and failed to yield to the red light at Houston striking a vehicle turning southbound onto Demaree. Piceno was evaluated on scene and determined to be under the influence of alcohol. The suspect's passenger was transported to Kaweah Hospital for non-life-threatening injuries. Piceno was arrested and transported to Kaweah Hospital prior to being booked at Tulare County Sheriff Pre-Trial Facility.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Agent C. Sinatra

