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Man Arrested for Striking VPD Unit and Two Vehicles on Highway 198

Just after 2:00 p.m., VPD officers responded to the 600 block of South Church Street regarding a disturbance. As officers arrived on scene, 35-year-old Ruben Zayas fled in a vehicle striking a VPD unit. Zayas continued to Highway 198 where he crashed into two other vehicles and fled from the scene.

Officers received information that the suspect was in the Mary's Vineyard parking lot. Zayas attempted to run from officers but was caught and arrested.

Thankfully, no one was injured throughout the incident, and there was only minor damage to the vehicles.

Zayas was transported and booked at the Tulare County Adult Pre-Trial Facility for hit and run, resisting arrest and a warrant.

