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Motor Vehicle Accident involving a Pedestrian

Niles, IL – On April 6, 2019 at approximately 9:10 p.m. Officers responded to a report of a motor vehicle that had struck a pedestrian on Greenwood near Golf Road. A Mercedes sports utility vehicle was traveling south bound on Greenwood Avenue preparing to enter the left turn lane at Golf Road. A pedestrian, described as a 60-year-old Female from Des Plaines, had been reported to be crossing the roadway approximately 75 feet north of Golf Road. The driver of the Mercedes, described as a 44-year old-female from Niles, stated the pedestrian “came out of nowhere” when she was struck by the Mercedes.

The Niles Fire Department arrived on scene and transported the pedestrian to Lutheran General Hospital for advanced care. Alcohol or impairment does not appear to be a factor in this incident and the driver is cooperating in the investigation. The incident is currently under investigation with the assistance of the Major Crash Assistance Team (M.C.A.T.).