

Clinton County Sheriff's Office

News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Personal Injury Accident

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DRIVER 1: Royce Butchino, 76/Male, Plattsburgh, NY

DRIVER 2: Terry J. Brunell, 27/Male, Burke, NY

DATE AND TIME: 11/27/2015 8:00pm

LOCATION: Plattsburgh, NY

NARRATIVE: On November 27, 2015, at about 8:00pm, Sheriff's Deputies responded to the intersection of State Route 3 and Consumer Square in the Town of Plattsburgh for report of a two car motor vehicle accident with personal injury. An investigation at the scene revealed that Royce Butchino of Plattsburgh was operating a 2005 Hyundai Sante Fe west on Route 3, when he attempted to turn left into the parking lot of Wendy's and failed to yield the right of way to a 2010 Toyota Corolla operated by Terry J. Brunell of Burke resulting in a collision.

DISPOSITION: Terry Brunell was transported to UVM CVPH Medical Center for shoulder and stomach pain. Heather Cook of Burke, NY, a front seat passenger in Mr. Brunell's vehicle, was also transported to CVPH for head, neck and back pain. A child passenger in Mr. Brunell's vehicle was uninjured. Royce Butchino was not injured in the crash and was ticketed by Deputies for failing to yield the right of way when turning left. Sheriff's Deputies were also assisted on scene by State Police, District 3 Fire Department, UVM CVPH EMS and Morrisonville EMS.