

# Clinton County Sheriff's Office

## News Release

**TO: AREA NEWS**

**REPORTED BY: Sgt. D.E. Rosoff**

**APPROVED BY: Lt. Leon**

**SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Personal Injury Accident and DWI Arrest**

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**NAMES OF ARRESTEE: Joseph M. Behrmann**

**AGE-SEX: 42/Male**

**ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY**

**CHARGES:**

**Driving While Intoxicated, BAC of .08% or Greater (U-Misd) VTL 1192.2**

**Driving While Intoxicated (U-Misd) VTL 1192.3**

**Moved from Lane Unsafely (Traf) VTL 1128.A**

**Consumption of Alcohol in MV (Traf) VTL 1227.1**

**DATE AND TIME OF ARREST: 02/11/2018 10:09pm**

**NARRATIVE:** On the above date, at about 9:40pm, Sheriff's Deputies responded to Route 3 in the Town of Saranac near the Saranac County Store for a report of a one car personal injury accident. Investigation on scene determined that the operator and sole occupant of the vehicle involved, Joseph M. Behrmann, was driving his 2002 Chevrolet Monte Carlo west on Route 3 when he lost control of the vehicle and struck a snow embankment on the north side of the roadway. Responding Deputies determined Behrmann was allegedly operating the vehicle while in an intoxicated condition. He reported head pain and suffered a minor laceration in the incident and was treated on scene before declining transport to the hospital.

**DISPOSITION:** Behrmann was transported from the scene and processed at the Sheriff's Office, following which he was released after being issued appearance tickets to appear in Town of Saranac Court in March. Deputies were assisted at the scene by Saranac Fire Department/EMS and the Cadyville Fire Department.