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## News Release April 6, 2020

## **Traffic Stop – Deputy Assaulted**

On Monday, April 6, 2020, at approximately 7:24 pm, a deputy with the Waukesha County Sheriff's Office made a traffic stop on a suspected impaired driver in the area of Capitol Drive and Cecelia Drive in the Village of Pewaukee. The 28 year old male driver and sole occupant of the vehicle was immediately non-compliant and argumentative upon contact.

As the deputy awaited back-up, the subject exited his car and assaulted the deputy. During the altercation, the deputy suffered a laceration to his forearm, as well as contusions to his head, hip, and knees. The suspect continued to fight upon the arrival of other deputies, causing a knee injury to a second deputy. Officers from the Village of Pewaukee Police Department, City of Brookfield Police Department, and the Town of Brookfield Police Department responded to assist and the suspect was restrained. A knife was recovered on scene where the altercation had occurred.

The two deputies injured during the assault were transported by the Pewaukee Fire Department to a local hospital where they were treated for their injuries and released. The suspect was not injured during the altercation and has been booked into the Waukesha County Jail with pending charges of substantial battery, battery to a law enforcement officer, resisting arrest and attempting to disarm a peace officer.

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