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DATE: 04/08/2013
NATURE OF INCIDENT: UPDATE: Duluth Officer Charged with Hit & Run
CASE NO.: 13049086
INCIDENT DATE :03/14/2013
INCIDENT TIME: 9:16 PM
INCIDENT LOCATION: 2113 West Superior Street
SUBJECT: UPDATE: Duluth Officer Charged with Hit & Run
BY: DPD Public Information Officer Jim Hansen (218) 390-2232

On Thursday, March 14th, 2013 at 9:16 PM Duluth Police were called to Mitch's Bar & Grill parking lot, 2113 West Superior Street on the report of a hit and run that had just occurred to an unoccupied vehicle.

The initial investigation revealed that Brian Jones, a 50 year old off-duty Duluth Police Officer had backed his car into a parked car, twice in the parking lot. Jones was not at the scene when police arrived, but his car was parked in the lot. Jones has been employed at the department since 1998. He has been placed on administrative leave.

The case has been submitted to the City Attorney's Office in Duluth.

UPDATE:

The Duluth City Attorney's Office referred the case to Lake County Attorney Laura Auron late last month. After a case review, Brian Jones has been charged with Misdemeanor Hit & Run. The Duluth Police Department is currently conducting an administrative investigation into the matter. Officer Jones has returned to his regular work duties.