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Oct 20, 2013

Serious Injury Pedestrian Crash
1st Avenue North and 4th Street

Date / Time of Release: October 20th, 2013 / 0730 hours

Incident: Serious Injury Pedestrian Crash

Location: 1st Avenue North and 4th Street

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Brief Description of Incident: A 1998 Nissan Sentra, FL tag CAUQ36, being driven by Justin Jarrod Stewart (B/M, 03/12/1991, 2503 Lynn Lake Cir S, St Pete) was southbound on 4th Street North in the center lane. Stewart was traveling at, or near the speed limit of 30 miles per hour, and had a green light to proceed south. A pedestrian, James Timothy Legg (W/M, 03/02/1958, Transient) was attempting to cross 4th Street, against a red light. Legg walked into the path of the southbound Nissan and was struck. Legg struck the hood and windshield before being projected onto the pavement. Legg was transported to Bayfront Medical Center in life-threatening condition.

Alcohol did not play a part in this crash. The investigation is continuing.

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