Serious Injury Crash 1500 block of 62nd Avenue Northeast

Date / Time of Incident: April 23rd, 2014 / 1050 hours

Brief Description of Incident: A 1995 Jeep Cherokee, FL tag BKKS93, being driven by Robin Alan Feazell (W/M, 04/13/1957, 5051 Queen Street North, St Pete) was eastbound on 62nd Avenue North.

As the jeep rounded the curve in the 1500 block of 62nd Avenue Northeast, the left rear tire appears to have failed. It does not appear that the tire had a blowout, but may be attributed to other factors.

The vehicle began to rotate clockwise, and headed off the south curb line. The vehicle struck a storm drain cover and continued rotating. The vehicle struck a power pole, trapping the driver in the crushed passenger compartment.

The St Petersburg Fire Department (see media release by Fire Lt. Steve Lawrence) completed a very lengthy and detailed extrication, and Feazell was transported to Bayfront Health St Pete by Bayflight helicopter. He was listed in very critical condition.

Alcohol/Drugs Involved: Unknown

Next of Kin Notified: No immediate family, his friends and roommate were notified.

Release Prepared by: Officer Michael Jockers (Van1)

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