



Pennsylvania Law Enforcement

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Agency Information:

AGENCY PA STATE POLICE - PUNXSUTAWNEY	INVESTIGATOR WEINEL, ZACHARY
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Summary Information:

CAD/CASE NUMBER PA 2026-893029		CRASH DATE 07/10/2026		CRASH TIME 18:06 hrs.	
COUNTY JEFFERSON			MUNICIPALITY GASKILL TWP		
ROUTE # 0036	SEGMENT # 0040	STREET COLONEL DRAKE		STREET ENDING HIGHWAY	
LOCATION ON ROUTE 36 JUST NORTH OF HILLMAN RD					

People Involved:

UNIT #	PERSON	FIRST NAME	MI	LAST NAME	SUFFIX	AGE	Gender
CITY		STATE	SAFETY EQUIPMENT		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT		
EMS TRANSPORT		INJURY SEVERITY					
EMS AGENCY			MEDICAL FACILITY NONE				

Vehicles Involved:

UNIT # 001	YEAR 2025	VEHICLE MAKE NISSAN	MODEL ROGUE
DRIVER CHARGED? N		PRIMARY VIOLATION 3361 DRIVING AT SAFE SPEED	

Crash Synopsis:

On 07/10/26 at approximately 1811 hours, PSP Punxsutawney was dispatched to a single vehicle crash, which occurred on Route 36 near its intersection with Hillman Road, Gaskill Township, Jefferson County. At the location of this crash, Route 36 is a two lane black top highway. Operator 1 was traveling north on Route 36 when he lost control of the vehicle, crossed over the south bound lane, traveled off the roadway, and hit a street sign. Operator 1 advised he lost control due to heavy rain conditions. The green town directional sign for Rossiter was removed from its posted position and was lying along the side of the roadway. PennDOT was advised of the damaged sign. Unit 1 sustained damaged to the front driver side of the vehicle, which includes but is not limited to the driver side front quarter panel, head light, front bumper, and the driver side front door. Unit 1 was driven from the scene by Operator 1. There were no injuries as a result of this crash. A crash application was provided to Operator 1. This crash investigation is complete.



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AGENCY PA STATE POLICE - PUNXSUTAWNEY	INVESTIGATOR BOWSER, ADAM
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Summary Information:

CAD/CASE NUMBER PA 2026-887732	CRASH DATE 07/09/2026	CRASH TIME 09:44 hrs.
COUNTY JEFFERSON		MUNICIPALITY BELL TWP
ROUTE # 0119	SEGMENT # 	STREET ROUTE 119
STREET ENDING HIGHWAY		LOCATION ON ROUTE 119 1748 FEET WEST OF ALBION RD

People Involved:

UNIT #	PERSON	FIRST NAME	MI	LAST NAME	SUFFIX	AGE	Gender
001	DRIVER	ERNIE	L	COLEMAN		70	M
CITY PUNXSUTAWNEY		STATE PA		SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT	
EMS TRANSPORT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY UNKNOWN IF INJURED					
EMS AGENCY JEFFERSON COUNTY EMS				MEDICAL FACILITY PUNXSUTAWNEY AREA HOSPITAL			

UNIT #	PERSON	FIRST NAME	MI	LAST NAME	SUFFIX	AGE	Gender
002	UNKNOWN	EDWARD	E	GASTON		90	M
CITY ROCHESTER MLS		STATE PA		SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT	
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY NOT INJURED					
EMS AGENCY				MEDICAL FACILITY NONE			

UNIT #	PERSON	FIRST NAME	MI	LAST NAME	SUFFIX	AGE	Gender
003	PASSENGER					11	F
CITY PUNXSUTAWNEY		STATE PA		SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT	
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY NOT INJURED					
EMS AGENCY				MEDICAL FACILITY NONE			

Vehicles Involved:

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UNIT #	YEAR	VEHICLE MAKE	MODEL
001	2013	NISSAN	ROGUE
DRIVER CHARGED?		PRIMARY VIOLATION	
Y		33091 DRIVING ON ROADWAYS LANED FOR TRAFFIC - SINGLE	

UNIT #	YEAR	VEHICLE MAKE	MODEL
002	2024	HONDA	ACCORD
DRIVER CHARGED?		PRIMARY VIOLATION	

UNIT #	YEAR	VEHICLE MAKE	MODEL
003	2018	DODGE	DURANGO
DRIVER CHARGED?		PRIMARY VIOLATION	

Crash Synopsis:

This crash occurred as Unit 1 was traveling south on SR 119. Unit 3 was legally parked behind Unit 2 south of Unit 1. As Unit 1 approached Unit 3 and Unit 2, Operator 1 for unknown reasons, steered Unit 1 onto the embankment along the southbound berm where I struck Unit 2 along the right rear side and continued to side swipe Unit 2 as it continued traveling along the southbound lane. Unit 1 then traveled back onto the southbound lane where it came to final rest facing west after traveling a short distance. PSP was assisted on scene by Central VFD, Elk Run VFD, Jefferson County EMS, and Brosius Towing.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE
PUBLIC INFORMATION RELEASE REPORT

STATION PUNXSUTAWNEY PATROL UNIT		CASE NO. PA 2026-772536
INVESTIGATING OFFICER MARSHALL R.05122 (755325)	DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT 06-13-2026 2309	
NATURE OF INCIDENT FLEEING AND ELUDING - IN VEH		
LOCATION WACHOB DR / SPRANKLE MILLS RD		
MUNICIPALITY(COUNTY) PERRY TWP (JEFFERSON)		

PERSON(S) INVOLVED (Age based off incident occurrence date):

ARRESTEE: Kelly VILLELLA, 51, M, PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA

ARRESTEE: Christopher DUBENSKY, 50, M, PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA

VEHICLES:

INVOLVED: 2021 Black CAN-AM ATV'S/SIDE BY SIDE VEHS

INVOLVED: 2022 Gray POLARIS MODEL, MFG BY LIVIN' LITE, INC

INCIDENT DETAILS:

On the listed date and time, a traffic stop was attempted on the listed vehicles. The vehicles fled from the police while their emergency lights and audible sirens were activated. The pursuit lasted approximately four miles until one of the vehicles stopped. The operator was placed under arrest for fleeing and eluding. Charges are pending through MDJ 54-3-01. A suspect has been developed for the second vehicle and operator, and the investigation is ongoing.

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STATION PUNXSUTAWNEY PATROL UNIT		CAD/CASE NO PA 2026-841646
INVESTIGATING OFFICER HOMAN,J,10600 (638713)	DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT 06-30-2026 1345	
NATURE OF INCIDENT HARASS PHYSICAL CONTACT		
LOCATION W MAIN ST		
MUNICIPALITY(COUNTY) BIG RUN BORO (JEFFERSON)		

PERSON(S) INVOLVED (Age based off incident occurrence date):

VICTIM: 11, F, PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA

ARRESTEE: 8, M, PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA

INCIDENT DETAILS:

On 06/30/26 at approx. 1345 hours, while the complaint was driving a school van a known child took his seatbelt off walked up the middle section and kicked another child. The known child started screaming and yelling and got out of control where police had been contacted.

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AGENCY PA STATE POLICE - PUNXSUTAWNEY	INVESTIGATOR HOMAN, JARED
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Summary Information:

CAD/CASE NUMBER PA 2026-888479	CRASH DATE 07/09/2026	CRASH TIME 14:52 hrs.
COUNTY JEFFERSON	MUNICIPALITY YOUNG TWP	
ROUTE # 0436	SEGMENT #	STREET S MAIN STREET
		STREET ENDING EXTENSION
LOCATION ON S MAIN STREET EXT 69 FEET NORTH OF PLUSHNOCK		

People Involved:

UNIT # 001	PERSON DRIVER	FIRST NAME JOAN	M1 M	LAST NAME MCINTYRE	SUFFIX	AGE 66	Gender F
CITY PUNXSUTAWNEY		STATE PA	SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT		
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY NOT INJURED					
EMS AGENCY			MEDICAL FACILITY NONE				

UNIT # 002	PERSON DRIVER	FIRST NAME BARBARA	MI A	LAST NAME MILLER	SUFFIX	AGE 64	Gender F
CITY BROOKVILLE		STATE PA	SAFETY EQUIPMENT LAP AND SHOULDER BELT USED		NON-MOTORIST SAFETY EQUIPMENT		
EMS TRANSPORT NOT TRANSPORTED		INJURY SEVERITY NOT INJURED					
EMS AGENCY			MEDICAL FACILITY NONE				

Vehicles Involved:

UNIT # 001	YEAR 2015	VEHICLE MAKE CHEVROLET	MODEL EQUINOX
DRIVER CHARGED? Y	PRIMARY VIOLATION 3310A FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY - GENERAL RULE		
UNIT # 002	YEAR 2010	VEHICLE MAKE NISSAN	MODEL ALTIMA
DRIVER CHARGED?	PRIMARY VIOLATION		

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On 07/09/26 at approx. 1500 hours, Unit #1 being driven by Operator #1 was traveling south on SR436, Young Twp., Jefferson County. Operator #1 related seeing tail lights but not a turn signal and ran into the back of Unit #2 being driven by Operator #2, which was stopped in the roadway turning into Dunkle Roofing. After Unit #1 struck the rear of Unit #2 both vehicles were able to pull off the side of the roadway and waited for police to arrive. Unit #2 did sustain damage and was towed from the scene by Smith Towing.

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