

NEWS RELEASE



City of Rancho Cucamonga Police Department



Date/Time: July 4, 2009 at approximately 12:50 a.m.

Crime: VC 23152B Driving Under the Influence and VC 20001 Hit and Run

Location: Banyan Street and Oak Leaf Way, Rancho Cucamonga

Suspect: Paul F. Bishop, 43 year old, resident of Fontana

SUMMARY

On July 4, 2009 at approximately 12:50 a.m., deputies from the Rancho Cucamonga Police Station responded to a call of a Hit and Run collision in the area of Banyan Street and Oak Leaf Way. The caller reported that a male driving a silver BMW had driven through his neighbor's front yard and crashed into a block wall. After the collision, the driver fled the area on foot. While relating the information to Sheriff's Dispatch, the witness followed the suspect. The witness flagged down an officer from Fontana Police Department, who detained the suspect until deputies arrived.

Further investigation revealed the driver of the BMW, Paul Bishop, was driving while impaired by alcohol. He was arrested for misdemeanor DUI, Hit and Run and violation of Probation. At the time of the collision, Bishop was on court probation for a previous DUI conviction.

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