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### **NEWS RELEASE**

**6-05-17**

### **Stolen Vehicle - Pursuit**

On Monday, 6-5-17 at approximately 1:30 am, a deputy from the Waukesha County Sheriff's Department attempted to stop a vehicle for speeding that was traveling eastbound on I94 in the area of Hwy 83. The vehicle exited I94 at Hwy 83, continued through the area and eventually entered I94 eastbound at Hwy 83 again. The vehicle continued to flee at speeds in excess of 100 miles per hour. We effectively deployed stop sticks and the vehicle exited I94 at Pewaukee Road and came to a stop at River Lane and Pewaukee Road.

The vehicle is a 2016 Kia Sorento containing Illinois temporary license plates. The deputy was advised that the vehicle had been stolen from Illinois several days earlier and was reported to have contained a gun at that time.

The two occupants of the vehicle both fled south on foot. The female subject was located immediately and taken into custody. The male subject refused to stop and continued to run south. A search of the area was conducted but the male subject was not immediately found.

A reverse 911 call was initiated to the area residents to advise them of the situation and the description of the suspect. The community had been advised to lock all the doors and to call 911 if they observed anyone matching the description. Shortly after 5:00 am. we received a call of a subject matching the suspect description in a shed in that area. With the help of the City of Waukesha Police Department and Wisconsin State Patrol, a perimeter was established and the subject was subsequently taken into custody shortly before 7:00am.

Both suspects were 17-years-old and from Illinois. Charges are pending and this incident remains under investigation.

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