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MEDIA RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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TYPE OF INCIDENT: Hit and Run Injury Accident-Pedestrian-****UPDATED****

DATE: Saturday, October 31, 2015

TIME: 900 PM

LOCATION: Ellsworth Rd./Silverleaf Dr., Pittsfield Twp.

POLICE COMPLAINT NUMBER: 15-12303

INFORMATION: Pittsfield Police and Fire were dispatched to the area of Ellsworth Rd. and Silverleaf Dr. for a report of a personal injury traffic crash involving a pedestrian. Upon arrival, units determined a vehicle had struck a pedestrian in the roadway but the pedestrian could not be located. It was then determined that the pedestrian had been dragged by a second vehicle to the area of Michigan Ave. and I-94 in Ypsilanti Twp. before becoming dislodged and left on the roadway. The pedestrian was determined to be a 14 year old female resident of Ypsilanti Twp. who was trick-or-treating. The pedestrian was transported to an area hospital where she was listed in critical condition. Police are still seeking the vehicle that dragged the pedestrian and would ask anyone who may have witnessed the crash to call Pittsfield Police at 734-822-4911.

INJURIES: Critical but stable condition. ****As of 11-3-15 the victim is still hospitalized in serious condition but is expected to survive.****

SUSPECT(S): Seeking the unknown vehicle that dragged a pedestrian from eastbound Ellsworth Rd. near Silverleaf Dr. to the area of westbound Michigan Ave. near I-94.

****Police are looking for a Volkswagen vehicle make and may include one of the following models: New Beetle – 1998 thru 2010; Golf – 1999-2007; or a Jetta Wagon – 2001-2002. Witnesses have reported to police that the vehicle involved was dark in color, either black or blue, while other witnesses described the vehicle as being light in color, possibly silver or white/cream in color. If you have any information regarding this incident, you are asked to contact the Pittsfield Township Police Department immediately.**

If you would like to remain anonymous, please call the Pittsfield Township Police Department tip line at 734-822-4958**.

ADDITIONAL: N/A

FURTHER INVESTIGATION: To be conducted by the Pittsfield Police Accident Investigation Team.

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