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MEDIA RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

9/27/2022

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Serious Injury Traffic Crash

DATE OF INCIDENT: Monday, September 26, 2022

TIME: 6:05 PM

LOCATION: Michigan Ave. at Old State Rd., Pittsfield Twp.

POLICE COMPLAINT NUMBER: 22-12581

INFORMATION: Pittsfield Township Police and Fire departments were dispatched to Michigan Avenue at Old State Rd. for a report of a two-vehicle traffic crash. Investigators were able to interview several witnesses and investigate evidence at the crash scene. A preliminary investigation indicated that a 21-year-old male resident of Pittsfield Twp. was driving a 2011 Ford Fusion while traveling southbound on Old State Rd., attempting to turn left onto eastbound Michigan Ave. That vehicle failed to yield to a westbound Michigan Ave. semi-truck being driven by a 40-year-old male resident of Commerce Township. The Ford Fusion was then struck in the driver side by the semi-truck. The driver of the Fusion was transported to a local hospital with critical injuries. The driver of the semi-truck was uninjured.

INJURIES: Critical injuries sustained to a 21-year-old male resident of Pittsfield Twp. He is currently listed in stable condition.

-Anyone who may have witnessed the crash is asked to call Pittsfield Police at 734-822-4911.

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