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MICHIGAN STATE POLICE

STATE POLICE TROOPERS INJURED

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MONTCALM COUNTY, MI. At 2:00 AM this morning, two troopers from the MSP Lakeview Post were assisting the Montcalm County Sheriff's Department on a traffic stop on S. Sheridan Road (M-66) near E. Colby Road, south of Stanton, when their patrol vehicle was struck from behind.

The patrol vehicle spun around hitting both troopers and momentarily pinning one trooper between his vehicle and the deputy's patrol vehicle. The pinned trooper was transported to the hospital with non-life-threatening leg injuries and has been treated and released. The second trooper suffered back pain but remained on scene.

The driver of the vehicle was not injured and was arrested and lodged at the Montcalm County Jail by the Montcalm County Sheriff's Department for operating under the influence.

Troopers were assisted on scene by the Montcalm County Sheriff's Department, MSP Sixth District Accident Reconstructionist, and Montcalm County EMS.

This is an example of why the Michigan State Police continue to urge motorists to not drive impaired and use a designated driver.

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