



# Woodstock Fire/Rescue District

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**Press Release:** Vehicle Strikes Pedestrian; Dog Killed – 05/27/2024

## For Immediate Release

On Monday, May 27, 2024, at 2:10pm, the Woodstock Fire/Rescue District and Woodstock Police Department responded to the intersection N. Jefferson Street & E. Judd Street in Woodstock, for the reported pedestrian struck by a vehicle.

Firefighters arrived within 3 minutes and observed a single-vehicle collision involving a pedestrian and dog. Paramedics quickly began evaluating an elderly male patient who was located near the vehicle on the pavement. The male patient was suffering from multiple traumatic injuries. A medical helicopter was requested and airlifted the seriously injured patient to Advocate Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

The driver of the vehicle refused to be evaluated by paramedics. A small dog was also struck by the vehicle and was pronounced deceased at the scene. Since the collision occurred near the railroad tracks, Union Pacific was notified, and rail traffic was shut down in both directions.

The Woodstock Police Department is investigating the crash and any additional questions pertaining to the investigation (cause, fault, seat-belt use, speeds, etc.) should be referred to them.

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