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Motor Vehicle Accident – Personal Injury

At approximately 11:40 a.m. on Sunday, August 9, Kearney Police Department Officers were called to 8th Street and 2nd Avenue in response to a two-vehicle accident with injuries.

Officers were able to determine that a Black 2004 Chevrolet Trailblazer was traveling South on 2nd Avenue and was attempting to cross the intersection of 8th Street. A white 2000 Lincoln Towncar had been traveling North on 2nd Avenue and attempted to left (West) onto 8th Street. The front of the Trailblazer collided with the passenger side of the Lincoln Towncar in the intersection.

A 79-year-old female passenger in the Lincoln Towncar was transported by ambulance to C.H.I. Good Samaritan Hospital to be treated for her injuries. The driver of the Lincoln Towncar was an 83-year-old Elm Creek man and he was issued a traffic citation for Fail to Yield and Negligent Driving.

The Kearney / Buffalo County Accident Investigation Team is investigating the accident.

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