
LANE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
NEWS RELEASE



CASE NUMBER: 12-161

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 01/07/2012

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NATURE OF STORY: Vehicle Pursuit

LOCATION: Greenhill Road / W. 11th Avenue

INVOLVED SUBJECT: Unknown white male, 5'08", medium build, collar length brown curly/wavy hair, scruffy facial hair

INVOLVED VEHICLE: 1994 Ford F-150 pickup

DETAILS:

On Saturday, January 7, 2012 at approximately 7:09 pm, a Lane County Sheriff's deputy initiated a traffic stop of a white Ford F-150 at W. 11th Avenue and Greenhill Road. The driver of the pickup failed to yield and a pursuit ensued northbound on Greenhill Road. Speeds reached in excess of 90 mph during the 3.3 mile pursuit. The driver turned east on Barger Road and shortly thereafter exited the pickup and ran from the scene southbound, scaling multiple fences and running through yards in the residential area near Legacy Street. Police K-9 units from EPD and LCSO were deployed, but the driver was not located.

The driver, described as a white male, about 5'08" tall with dark brown collar length curly/wavy hair and scruffy facial hair, was wearing a brown Carhart jacket and dark baseball cap when he fled.

During the course of the investigation, it was later learned the driver may have recently committed a residential burglary on Cone Avenue minutes before the LCSO deputy attempted to stop the pickup. Some stolen property was recovered from the pickup.

The investigation is on-going.

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