



Press Release
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North Fond du Lac Police are continuing to investigate a disturbance involving two vehicles that left one of the vehicle occupants with minor injuries and resulted in 80-100 people being evacuated from their homes due to a gas leak.

Shortly before 4:00PM on Tuesday, the Dispatch Center received numerous 911 calls reporting vehicles being driven recklessly in the Gaslight Terrace Mobile Home Park. Several callers indicated that one of the vehicles was “chasing” the other and “one male hitting another male with his vehicle.” Callers then stated that one of the vehicles had struck a house on Cardinal Court, knocking off the gas meter, and resulting in a gas leak.

North Fond du Lac Police, Fond du Lac County Sheriff’s Office, Fond du Lac Police Department, North Fond du Lac Fire & EMS, Van Dyne Fire Department, Alliant Energy, and North Fond du Lac Public Works responded and assisted with evacuations, traffic control, and investigation.

NFDL Police Chief Darren Pautsch stated, “This wasn’t a random road rage type incident. The people in the involved vehicles know one another. At this time, we are working to locate everyone involved and clarify their roles.”

Police are asking anyone with any information regarding this incident to contact Sergeant Tim Bakri at 906-5555 or to share tips anonymously at 906-4777.

The incident remains under investigation. No additional information is available at this time.