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**PRESS RELEASE**

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On Wednesday, September 12, at 12:11 p.m., the Sioux County Sheriff's Office investigated a motor vehicle accident that occurred on Highway 18, three miles east of Rock Valley, IA.

Riley Hasche, age 25, of Luverne, MN was driving a 2015 GMC Sierra westbound on Highway 18. He stopped for a vehicle ahead of him that was turning onto Goldfinch Avenue. Aimee Mueller, age 42, of Archer, IA was driving a 2014 Ford Focus westbound on Highway 18 behind Hasche and struck the GMC.

Mueller and a passenger in her vehicle, Marietta Vander Pol, age 75, of Primghar, IA were both transported by the Rock Valley Ambulance to Hegg Memorial Hospital in Rock Valley for treatment of their minor injuries.

The GMC was not damaged. The Ford sustained approximately \$8,000 in damage.

Mueller was cited for following too close.