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**PRESS RELEASE**

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On Sunday, May 13, at 6:01 p.m., the Sioux County Sheriff's Office investigated a motor vehicle accident that occurred on Kennedy Avenue, five miles north of Boyden, IA.

Kameron Palermo, age 18, of Omaha, NE was driving a 2016 Volkswagen Jetta southbound on Kennedy Ave. Thelma VanBriesen, age 80, of George, IA was driving a 1989 Ford Ranger northbound on Kennedy Avenue. VanBriesen attempted to turn left turn onto a Sioux County Conservation park driveway and was struck by Palermo.

No injuries were reported.

The Volkswagen sustained approximately \$7,000 in damage. The Ford sustained approximately \$2,000 in damage.

VanBriesen was cited for failing to yield upon making left turn.

The Sheriff's Office was assisted by the Lyon County Sheriff's Office.