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**PRESS RELEASE**

**5/13/19 2:00 pm**

On Monday, May 13, at 6:51 a.m., the Sioux County Sheriff's Office investigated a motor vehicle accident that occurred at the intersection of Highway 18 and Colfax Street in Boyden, IA.

Davis Van Roekel, age 20, of Boyden was driving a 2007 Toyota Camry eastbound on Hwy 18. He stopped for traffic before attempting a right turn onto Colfax Street. Brady Gonzales, age 27, of Orange City, IA was driving a 2012 Ford Taurus eastbound on Highway 18 behind Van Roekel when he struck Van Roekel in the intersection.

Van Roekel was transported by the Boyden Ambulance to the Sheldon Hospital for treatment of minor injuries.

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

Gonzales was cited for following too close.

The sheriff's office was assisted by the Boyden Fire Department and Boyden Ambulance.