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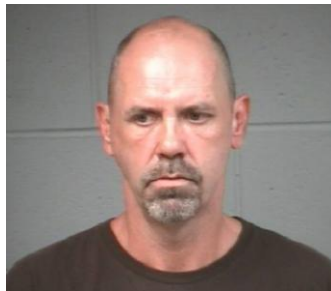
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OWI – 7th Offense

On Wednesday, September 10, 2014 at approximately 630pm City of Beloit police officers were dispatched to the intersection of McKinley Ave and Burton Ave regarding a vehicle driving erratically into oncoming traffic. Officers located the vehicle and observed the vehicle spinning its tires creating a great deal of smoke in the area.

A traffic stop was conducted and investigating officers identified the operator as Joseph Lounsbury, 53, of Beloit. Officers also identified to two passengers in the vehicle as being 15 years of age. Investigation resulted in Lounsbury being arrested for OWI – 7th offense with passengers under 16 years of age. Lounsbury was also cited for Operating a Motor Vehicle after Revocation and Reckless Driving.



Lounsbury was held the Rock County Jail on this matter.

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Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3:6 Trial Publicity, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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