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PRESS RELEASE

On Friday July 16, at 3:00 pm, the Sioux County Sheriff's Office investigated a two vehicle accident that occurred at the intersection of K30 and B30, five miles south of Rock Valley, IA.

Brian McGee, age 49, from Dell Rapids, SD was driving a 2006 International Truck eastbound on B30; he was stopped at the stop sign for K30. Elsie Thielvoldt, age 85, from Alvord, IA was driving a 1997 Buick northbound on K30. McGee failed to see the approaching vehicle, entered the intersection and struck the Buick driven by Thielvoldt.

Thielvoldt was transported to the Rock Valley Hospital by the Rock Valley Ambulance for non-life threatening injuries.

The International received approximately \$500 in damage and the Buick \$4,000 in damage.

Both drivers were wearing their seatbelts.

McGee was issued a citation for fail to obey a stop sign.

The Sheriff's Office was assisted by the Iowa State Patrol, Rock Valley Police, Fire, and Ambulance services.