



City of  
**WOODSTOCK**

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**Pedestrian/Vehicle Traffic Accident**

Woodstock Police Units responded to a traffic accident involving a pedestrian at Lake Avenue and Route 47 at 6:13 P.M. on Friday, February 19, 2016. Responding units found that pedestrian Weimer, Robert E., 136 North Street, Woodstock, Illinois, 60 years of age, was attempting to cross Lake Avenue, approximately 25 feet west of Route 47. Mr. Weimer was crossing Lake Avenue headed in a northerly direction, had crossed the e/b Lake Avenue traffic lanes between motor vehicles that were stopped for the traffic light at Route 47, and entered the w/b lanes of Lake Avenue when he was struck by a motor vehicle that was turning left off of n/b Route 47 and headed w/b on Lake Avenue. The 28 year old female driver of the motor vehicle, from Huntley, Illinois attempted unsuccessfully to avoid Mr. Weimer and struck Mr. Weimer in the w/b traffic lanes of Lake Avenue. The driver of the vehicle immediately stopped and rendered aid to the injured pedestrian.

Mr. Weimer was transported to Centegra Hospital in Woodstock, Illinois. Injuries are believed to be non-life threatening.

The female driver of the motor vehicle was not cited in this accident. Mr. Weimer was cited for being an intoxicated pedestrian in the roadway and for crossing a roadway at other than a crosswalk. Court date is March 25, 2016 at 08:30 A.M. at the McHenry County Government Center, 2200 N. Seminary, Woodstock, Illinois.