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**Stolen Vehicle Pursuit & Arrest**

On January 10, 2012 at approximately 9:25am, Sheriff's Office deputies identified an occupied stolen vehicle (a 2001 Lexus, white in color) near 41<sup>st</sup> Street and Interstate 5, Everett. When the deputies attempted to stop the vehicle, it sped away southbound on I-5 from 41<sup>st</sup> Street. Deputies pursued the stolen vehicle on southbound I-5 at speeds ranging from 60-90mph. Just north of the State Route 526 (Boeing Freeway) exit, the vehicle swerved across the southbound lanes of travel and struck a large section of guardrail along the inside shoulder of the freeway. The vehicle continued southbound I-5 and exited at State Route 526. The vehicle lost control and spun out while attempting to head westbound on State Route 526. At that point, the driver and passenger were taken into custody by deputies.

The driver, a 31 year old male believed to be from the Bellingham area, was booked into the Snohomish County Jail on charges of Possession of a Stolen Vehicle and Felony Eluding. He also had outstanding felony warrants for his arrest. The female passenger was interviewed by deputies and released at the scene. There were no injuries involved with the pursuit, and no other vehicles were damaged.

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