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NEWS RELEASE

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Incident:

Today at approximately 4 pm, the Abbotsford Police Department responded to a motor vehicle collision involving a stolen vehicle.

APD Patrol Officers, a K9 unit, Abbotsford Fire Rescue Services and BC Ambulance responded to this incident. Upon arrival, police found that the stolen vehicle had struck a minivan with several occupants, causing it to leave the roadway. The female driver of the stolen vehicle fled on foot immediately after the crash. The Abbotsford Fire Rescue Service utilized the Jaws of Life to extricate a trapped elderly passenger from the minivan.

The 34-year-old female suspect was located and taken into custody. She is a prohibited driver who is well known to the Abbotsford Police.

The seven occupants of the minivan and the female suspect were transported by BC Ambulance Service to the hospital to be treated for non-life threatening injuries.

The Abbotsford Police Collision Reconstructionists will be on scene for the next several hours. The investigation is continuing and updates will be provided when more details are available.

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