Hudson County Sheriff Frank Schillari on Motor Vehicle Accident on Route 1&9 in Jersey City

JERSEY CITY, NJ - Statement from Hudson County Sheriff Frank X. Schillari regarding a motor vehicle accident on route 1&9 in Jersey City the morning of December 6th.

"At approximately 5:30 AM a Hudson County Sheriff's K9 Unit on patrol on RT 1&9 near Duncan Avenue in Jersey City came across a head on collision.

A Toyota Prius, driven by Shaneka Torres of North Hampton, PA, was travelling North on RT 1&9, between the Lincoln Highway and Duncan Avenue, when an Acura, that was travelling southbound, crossed over the yellow lines and crashed, head on , into her.

Both cars were disabled, the driver of the Acura fled the scene on foot.

Torres, who was injured in the crash was unable to give a description of the Acura's driver, she was transported by Jersey City EMS to the Jersey City Medical Center, her condition is unavailable at this time.

The Sheriff's Office is searching for the driver of the Acura and is asking if anyone has information about this crash to call 201-915-1300."

Hudson County Sheriff Frank X. Schillari