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Jeep Rollover in Parking Lot

Gurnee – On November 16, 2023, shortly before 11:00 AM, Gurnee officers responded to reports of a rollover crash in the parking lot located at 6509 Route 132. Officers discovered a white Jeep SUV overturned with two occupants inside. The driver, an 81-year-old female of Gurnee, and the passenger, a 61-year-old female of Gurnee, were trapped inside the vehicle.

According to preliminary findings, the driver was in the process of parking in a handicapped spot when the vehicle accelerated, colliding with the handicapped parking sign. The Jeep then reversed at an accelerated speed, striking a nearby tree, which resulted in the vehicle overturning.

The Gurnee Fire Department assisted with extricating the two occupants from the vehicle. Both females were transported to Advocate Condell Medical Center (Libertyville) with injuries that did not appear to be life-threatening.