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Gurnee Rollover Accident

Gurnee – On June 8, 2021, at approximately 3:00 PM, Gurnee Police responded to the area of Washington Street and Cemetery Road for a traffic crash with injuries.

Upon their arrival, Gurnee Officers located an overturned 2004 Subaru in the grass along the south side of Washington Street, west of Cemetery Road. The Subaru contained three occupants, an 18-year-old male driver, a 22-year-old male passenger, and a 20-year-old female passenger, all from Gurnee, Illinois. The occupants of the vehicle were transported to Advocate Condell Medical Center with non-life-threatening injuries.

Investigators with the Major Crash Assistance Team (MCAT) responded to the scene and aided with the crash investigation. The initial investigation revealed the Subaru and a 2008 Mazda were both traveling westbound on Washington Street. The driver of the Mazda, a 27-year-old male from North Chicago, Illinois, collided with the rear end of the Subaru, causing the Subaru to veer off the roadway and rollover.

The driver of the Mazda was not injured during the collision. Two young children, seated in the back, were secured in child safety seats and were uninjured.

Traffic on Washington Street was blocked and diverted from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM while MCAT conducted the investigation.

The crash remains under investigation by Gurnee Police.