



Newport Police Department

169 SW Coast Highway
Newport, Oregon 97365

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Incident: Traffic Crash **Case #: 12N-01040**

Location: 107 N. Coast Hwy, JC Thriftway

Date/Time: 06/22/2012 at 7:50 a.m.

Details: On 06/22/2012, at approximately 7:50 a.m., Newport Police Officers responded to a reported non-injury motor vehicle crash at JC Thriftway in Newport. The initial report was that a vehicle had crashed into the front of the building.

Upon arrival, Officers observed the south-east side of the front was damaged, and two large front windows were broken. Officers confirmed nobody was injured.

The investigation revealed that Margarito Aguilar-Saavedra was driving a 2002 Chevy Trailblazer. He pulled into a parking space in front of the store and accelerated. His vehicle jumped the curb and crashed into the building.

A routine check showed that Mr. Aguilar-Saavedra did not have a valid driver's license or current liability insurance. Mr. Aguilar-Saavedra was issued citations for No Operators License, Driving Uninsured, and Careless Driving.

Damage to the building was estimated at greater than \$5,000.00. The vehicle suffered minor damage.

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