



**POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
DUI Crash	04/13/2023 2144 Hours	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
23BU006769	Peru Street	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Officer Bartlett	(802) 540-2407	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Sarah Hernandez Timm	Chief Murad	
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Dylan Stevens	28	St. Albans, Vermont
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Dylan Stevens was transported to UVMHC for evaluation, taken into custody, issued a citation, and released.		

NARRATIVE:

On April 13, 2023 at approximately 2144 hours, the Burlington Police Department received multiple 911 calls regarding a fire that started after a vehicle became suspended near Peru Street. When officers arrived on scene, the vehicle was suspended on the guy wire and a high voltage power line broke free and was arching on the ground. After speaking with witnesses, the operator of the vehicle was identified as Dylan Stevens, 28, of St. Albans.

Stevens had difficulty standing, was confused when answering questions, and had an odor of intoxicants on his breath. Stevens was transported to the University of Vermont Medical Center for evaluation and was taken into custody upon release for suspicion of driving under the influence. Stevens refused to provide a sample of his breath and was deemed a DUI refusal. Stevens was processed, issued a citation, and released to a sober friend.

The BPD and the Burlington Fire Department determined a tow truck with a rotator would be the safest option to remove the vehicle. The vehicle was removed and towed.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704.

Information is preliminary and subject to change.