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## Press Release - For Immediate Release

Defendant's Name: Norman Rosendahl  
Age: 51  
City and State of residence: Sioux City, IA  
Criminal File Number: 13-353  
Convicted of: Aggravated Eluding of Law Enforcement (F6), 32-33-18.2  
Driving Under the Influence 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense  
Date of Sentence: January 6, 2014  
Arresting Officer: Officer Aaron Tyler, North Sioux City Police Dept.  
Sgt. James Heeren, North Sioux City Police Dept.  
Deputy Stephanie Ryan, Union County Sheriff's Office  
Sheriff Dan Limoges, Union County Sheriff

### Case Synopsis:

On 10/26/13 Rosendahl was reported driving North bound in the South bound lane of Interstate 29 leaving the state of Iowa and entering SD. Officer Tyler stopped his vehicle on the interstate and activated his emergency lights to warn the drivers in the South bound lane. Officer Tyler, attempted to flag down Rosendahl who continued past Officer's Tyler's location. Rosendahl's vehicle was stopped through the use of road spikes which were deployed at mile marker 8 by Deputy Ryan. Rosendahl was confronted by officers after the vehicle came to a stop and Rosendahl was slow to respond. Later he stated that he did not recall anything from the incident. Rosendahl consented to the State taking his blood. Rosendahl's percent rate of blood alcohol content was .192 %. The level in which a person is presumed to be under the influence is .08%

### Sentencing Synopsis:

On the charge of aggravated Eluding of Law Enforcement charge, Rosendahl received a two year suspended sentence to the state penitentiary. Rosendahl was also ordered to complete two years of supervised probation and that he is to immediately enter a treatment program with the Glory House in Sioux Falls, SD. The Court Order that Rosendahl serve seventy-two days in the Union County jail. The Court further ordered that Rosendahl pay all court costs, fines, prosecution costs, and court-appointed attorney fees on both charges.

On the charge of 2<sup>nd</sup> offense driving under the influence charge, Rosendahl was required to serve ten days in the Union County Jail; and had his license revoked for one year from the date of his release. The ten days in this charge is to run concurrent with the jail time in felony charge. The Court also gave Rosendahl credit for the seventy-two days he spent incarcerated prior to being sentenced.

### Criminal History Synopsis:

This is Rosendahl's first career felony conviction and his second conviction for Driving Under the Influence.