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Just the Facts

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Domestic Violence on the Roadway—

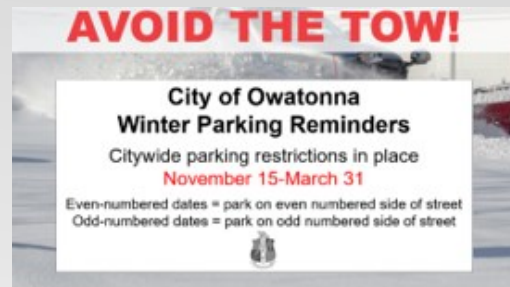
On Tuesday evening, patrol officers were called to Linn Dr. for the report of a hit and run accident and an injured female. On arrival, officers learned this was a domestic violence situation and the victim's vehicle had been stuck purposely by the victim's significant other. The victim reported once her vehicle had been struck, she lost control and drove on an innocent owner's yard. The victim ran from her vehicle to a house trying to get someone to call the police. The suspect caught her and physically assaulted her. Patrol staff located the suspect at his home and placed him under arrest. In a statement, the suspect admitted to purposely running into the victim's vehicle and assaulting her. Anthony Trevino, age 25 of Owatonna, has been charged with 2nd Degree Assault, Domestic Assault and two counts of Domestic Assault.



Anthony Trevino

Avoid the Tow—

The winter street parking restrictions are now in effect every night between 12:01 a. m.



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Employment Opportunity—

The records staff at the Law Enforcement Center are an integral part of our operations; unfortunately, they often go unrecognized for the critical role they play. Though they are Steele County employees, they are shared staff with the Owatonna Police Department and work hard at managing our records. There is a current opening for a records specialist to join our team. If you or someone you know may be interested in this position, please click [here](#).



Ashley Padilla

and noon, regardless of the weather, through March 31, 2022. Find more information about odd/even parking, the parking lots that are available downtown and the City's Winter Parking Map app by visiting ci.owatonna.mn.us. or scanning this QR code. This is especially mindful with the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday if you have overnight guests that will be parking on the street.

Burglary Suspect Arrested—

On October 2nd, our officers were called to 1120 E. School Street for an assault. The victim reported that a female suspect had been chasing her for a whole hour and then came to her home. The suspect allegedly broke down the victim's door and choked her. Investigating officers found the door frame completely broken and the trim hanging down. The suspect, Ashley Padilla, was arrest on November 11th on a different burglary incident and then charged with 1st Degree Burglary and 5th Degree Assault for the October 2nd incident.

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