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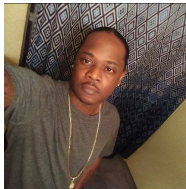
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Police Seeking Assistance in Locating Aggravated Assault Suspect

ABILENE, TX – Detectives with the Abilene Police Department are seeking assistance in locating 31 year old Kendle Smith of Abilene (Picture below). He is wanted in connection to a hit-and-run of a school crossing guard who was intentionally struck by a vehicle believed to be driven by Smith. The suspect will be charged with Aggravated Assault.

On Monday, April 1, 2019, just after 7 a.m., a call came into police dispatch stating that the driver of a 2007 Lexus sedan, struck a school crossing guard with his vehicle on North 10th St. near Lee Elementary. The driver abandoned the vehicle and then fled the scene on foot. The victim in this incident was treated and released at a local hospital.

If you have information on Smith, you are urged to contact the Abilene Police Department non-emergency number, 673-8331, or if you wish to remain anonymous you may contact Abilene Crime Stoppers, (325) 676-TIPS (8477).



Respectfully,

Rick Tomlin
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