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Child hit by car

ABILENE TX- At 8 a.m. a 13 year old child was hit by a vehicle while crossing the street to go to school. The child was dropped off by automobile on the 3300 block of Vogel St. While he attempted to cross the street, a vehicle traveling on Vogel struck him in the leg area with the front right side of the vehicle. The car partially ran over the teen's foot. He was taken to a local hospital by a private auto. His injuries were not life-threatening. There were no citations given as the pedestrian failed to yield right of way to the vehicle.

School Zones are often congested directly before and after school. The Police Department wants to encourage all drivers, parents and students to be aware of their surroundings while going to and coming from school and obey all traffic laws.

Respectfully,

Rick Tomlin
Public Information Coordinator



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