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Man arrested after hitting patrol car

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After allegedly hitting an Oakland County Sheriff's Office patrol car and driving away from the scene, a 32-year-old Clinton Township man was arrested at his residence late Tuesday night.

The man is lodged at the Oakland County Jail for operating while intoxicated and fleeing and eluding, according to police.

A deputy with the Rochester Hills substation of the Sheriff's Office responded to an accident scene on M-59 near Dequindre, where a car had run off the road due to the snowy conditions. As the officer was leaving the scene just after 11 p.m. Tuesday, a dark pickup truck hit his car in the left rear quarter panel. No injuries were reported.

Along with assistance from the Sterling Heights Police Department, the deputy chased the suspect. The man was able to make it to his home on Monticello Drive, where he was arrested.

The suspect's pickup was impounded.

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