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Rollover on River Road Exit off Hwy 101

Sequim, Washington- On July 17, 2023, Clallam County Fire District #3 responded alongside Washington State Patrol, Sequim Police, and Clallam County Sheriffs to a one vehicle rollover accident on the River Road offramp from eastbound Highway 101. Upon arrival the vehicle was found rolled over onto its top blocking the entire exit ramp with debris spread across the roadway and down the embankment. Firefighters went to work with reports that the driver was trapped. Law Enforcement coordinated to close the ramp and controlled traffic at the top of the exit. Firefighters stabilized the vehicle and with the use of battery-powered spreaders and cutters, were able to extricate the driver in under 10 minutes. The driver was then transported to Harbor View Hospital in Seattle by helicopter via Airlift Northwest who landed on the off-ramp.

Questions may be directed to Battalion Chief, Elliott C Jones at (360) 683-4242. Ext. 133.

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