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County Police Make Arrest in 2022 Penn Hills Vehicle Collision

Allegheny County – The Allegheny County Police today announced the arrest of Jelyssa Martinez, 28, in connection to a December 15 vehicle collision in Penn Hills.

On Thursday, December 15, 2022, at approximately 6:50 p.m., Penn Hills Police and paramedics were called to the intersection of Frankstown Road near Erhardt Drive for a two-vehicle collision. Officers discovered that a Toyota Rav 4 with one occupant collided with a Subaru legacy occupied by four adult females and one toddler. Three of the four adults and the toddler were transported to area hospitals. The driver of the Toyota Rav 4, 28-year-old Jelyssa Martinez was not injured.

Detectives and Collision Reconstruction from the Allegheny County Police Homicide Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation. Through the investigation, it was determined Jelyssa Martinez was the person responsible for the collision.

An arrest warrant was issued, and Martinez turned herself in to at the Municipal Court Building this morning. She is currently housed in the Allegheny County Jail awaiting arraignment. Martinez is charged with aggravated assault by vehicle while DUI, driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances and traffic violations.

Anyone with information concerning this incident is asked to call the Allegheny County Police tip line at 1-833-ALL-TIPS (1-833-255-8477); callers can remain anonymous. The department can also be reached via its social media sites.

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