



# CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH

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## ***PRESS RELEASE***

**Release Date:** March 7, 2011

**Time:** 5:00 pm

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**Type of Incident:** Arrest made in Hit and Run collision investigation

**Location:** Beach Boulevard north of Slater Avenue, Huntington Beach

**Date/Time of Occurrence:** February 24, 2011 at 2:05 pm **Case Number:** 11-003085

### **Details:**

On February, 24, 2011, at about 2:05 pm, the Huntington Beach Police Department investigated a "hit and run" traffic collision at Beach Boulevard and Slater Avenue. The suspect, driving a black Dodge Magnum station wagon, collided with a motorcycle rider while they were both travelling north on Beach Boulevard.

After the collision the suspect fled the scene leaving the motorcycle rider seriously injured. The victim still remains hospitalized due to the injuries sustained in this collision.

Several concerned citizens provided information to the Huntington Beach Police Department traffic investigators which was followed up on by the traffic investigators. The investigation led to a possible suspect.

On March 6, 2011, at about 1:50 pm, Huntington Beach police officers located the suspect at a hotel in Costa Mesa. The police officers also located his vehicle at a different location in Costa Mesa. The police officers arrested De Andre Curtis Hill, 47, Costa Mesa, and booked him at the Huntington Beach Police Department city jail. He was booked for felony charges of hit and run and driving on a suspended driver license related to this investigation. He was also booked for an outstanding DUI warrant from an unrelated incident.