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## **Women Struck by City of Tallahassee Garbage Truck**

Today at approximately 9:30AM, a City of Tallahassee garbage truck was removing debris from the side of the roadway in the 1800 block of Holton Street. As the garbage truck pulled away from the curb, it struck a 59yoa female who was walking in front of the vehicle. The pedestrian was dragged about 40 feet before the truck came to a stop. Immediately after this crash, Deputy Mat Drake arrived on scene and rendered first aid. The pedestrian was transported by Leon County Emergency Medical Services to Tallahassee Memorial Hospital in serious condition. The name of the pedestrian is being withheld until family members can be located and notified. The Leon County Sheriff's Office Traffic Unit is on scene and an investigation is in progress.



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