

Village of Tinley Park

News Release



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Woman involved in standoff with police following hit-and-run

The Tinley Park Police Department responded Friday morning to a hit-and-run accident near 171st Street and 84th Avenue. Shortly thereafter, a resident in the 8700 block of Moss Court reported a strange car in her yard, which police determined was the suspected vehicle in the hit and run.

The lone occupant of the car was a 52-year-old woman who refused to exit the car and was armed with an aerosol can of bug spray and a large knife. After talking with the officers for more than an hour, the woman finally surrendered and no one was injured.

The woman was transported to Palos Hospital for a mental evaluation. Charges are pending.

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