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## PRESS RELEASE

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On Monday March 14, 2011 at approximately 5:08 PM the Plympton Police Department responded to a reported head on motor vehicle crash in the area of #89 Palmer Road (Route 58). The crash involved a full sized tractor trailer truck and a sedan. The operator of the sedan was identified as 77 year old Wesley Chadbourne of Plympton. Chadbourne was transported to the hospital with serious injuries.

Officers from the Halifax Police Department as well as Deputies from the Plymouth County Sheriff's Department and Massachusetts State Troopers responded to the scene to assist. The road was closed for several hours while crews worked to clean up a large amount of diesel fuel that spilled from the truck after impact. A full investigation into the crash found that Chadbourne did swerve into oncoming traffic causing the collision. He was cited for a civil motor vehicle violation.