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PRESS RELEASE – PICK-UP TRUCK THROUGH ICE ON FOX LAKE

On 01/26/19 at 6:45 a.m. the Dodge County Sheriff's Office received a 911 call of a pickup truck occupied by two males that went through the ice on Fox Lake, Township of Fox Lake, Dodge County.

Preliminary investigations shows that Kevin Kuhl, 45, from Cambria along with his passenger, Jeffrey Munro, 44, from Randolph were operating a 2003 Dodge Ram 2500 traveling northwest from the boat launch at the Boat House Pub & Eatery on Chief Kuno Trail. Approximately 300 ft – 400 ft east of Maple Point on Fox Lake the Dodge Ram broke through the ice.

Both occupants were able to self-extricate themselves through the rear window of the pickup truck it became fully submerged into 16 ft – 18 ft of water. Both occupants were able to walk back to The Boathouse Pub & Eatery and were met by Fox Lake EMS to be treated for abrasions to their hands and for exposure to the sub-zero temperatures.

The Dodge County Sheriff's Office would like to remind everyone to verify ice conditions prior to driving on all lakes. For more information on the ice conditions on Fox Lake, we are encouraging others to contact Fish Tales Bait Shop in Fox Lake at (920) 520-0015. They are more than happy to pass along details of the ice conditions on Fox Lake and they reported portions of Fox Lake are not safe for vehicle travel.

This incident was turned over to the Wisconsin DNR for further investigation.

Assisting at the Scene was: Fox Lake Fire/EMS and the Wisconsin DNR.



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Questions may be directed to Sheriff Dale J Schmidt.

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