**Background Facts:**

On October 28, 2022 at about 8:54 am Irene Roundtree was the restrained driver of a 2011 Mazda CX-9 crossover SUV that was going a stated speed of about 55-65 mph, northbound on FL-113/Southside Connector Blvd., near Regency Square Blvd., Jacksonville, FL, when it was struck on the driver’s side by a 2019 Wabash Duraplate semi-trailer, being pulled by a 2022 International LT625 truck tractor, that was changing lanes and driven by Marlin Foster. Mr. Foster did not stop and remain at the scene of the crash. The defense claims Ms. Roundtree was negligent, failed to yield the right of way to Mr. Foster, failed to make reasonable avoidance maneuvers and failed to use an operational safety belt. The images below depict the police diagram and the subject vehicles post-collision:

An aerial view of a highway

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**Police diagram, Ms. Roundtree’s Mazda labeled “V2” Satellite view**

**A blue car with a dented door

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**Ms. Roundtree’s Mazda, post-collision**

**A truck on the road

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**Tractor-trailer combination, photo taken by a witness**

No damage estimate was provided for the Mazda for review. The provided photos show damage to the driver’s side to include the front bumper cover, left front fender, left front wheel/tire, driver’s door and sideview mirror and the left rear passenger door. The Mazda was not towed, no air bag deployment occurred (front side impact and side head curtain airbags are standard equipment) and it was deemed a total loss.

No damage estimate or damage photos were provided for review. The single provided photo shows the rear of the semi-trailer and the driver’s side of the truck tractor only. The tractor-trailer combination was not towed and left the scene without stopping.