



Belmar Police Department
Arrest Report

Arrest #: 24BEL-19832-AR
Call #: 24-19832

Date/Time Reported: 09/02/2024 @ 2211
Arrest Date/Time: 09/03/2024 @ 2218
Booking Date/Time: 09/03/2024 @ 2230

Reporting Officer: Special Officer 2 Joseph Vojtko
Approving Officer: Sergeant Philip Bohrman

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

DEFENDANT (S) SEX RACE AGE SSN PHONE

1 MOJICA, MELANY V F

Military Active Duty:

DOB:

LICENSE NUMBER:

PLACE OF BIRTH:

ETHNICITY:

OFFENSE (S) ATTEMPTED TYPE

LOCATION TYPE: Government/Public Building Zone: Town Wide
TAYLOR PAVILION
500 OCEAN AVE
BELMAR NJ 07719

1 OPERATING M.V. UNDER THE INFLUENCE N Violation
39:4 50
OCCURRED: 09/02/2024 2211

2 FAILURE TO DRIVE WITHIN A SINGLE LANE N Violation
39:4 88B
OCCURRED: 09/02/2024 2211
FINE: 78.00

3 OPEN CONTAINER IN MV N Violation
39:4 51B
OCCURRED: 09/02/2024 2211

4 RECKLESS DRIVING N Violation
39:4 96
OCCURRED: 09/02/2024 2211

ARREST DESCRIPTION

DWI crash arrest

NARRATIVE FOR SERGEANT PHILIP BOHRMAN

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On 09/02/2024 I, Sergeant Philip G. Bohrman Jr., responded to headquarters to operate the Alcotest 9510. Once at headquarters prior to entering the Alcotest room, I secured my cell phone, body worn camera, and my portable radio in another room separate from our booking room. I observed S.O. Vojtko #958 while he was booking Mojica and heard that he had started the twenty-minute observation. He read the Attorney General Standard Statement for Motor Vehicle Operators N.J.S.A. 39:4-50.2(e). I heard, after reading the Statement Mojica answered, "Yes of course."

After the twenty (20) minute observation period was completed, I began to enter the information into the Alcotest 9510. I then made contact with Mojica and had her enter the Alcotest room which is located directly next to our booking room. Once the Alcotest gave the command to "Blow", I read the following statement, "I want you to take a deep breath and blow into the mouthpiece with one long continuous breath. Continue to blow until I tell you to stop. Do you understand these instructions?" Mojica answered, "Yes." I placed the mouthpiece into Mojica's mouth and advised her to blow. This same process was repeated a second time with the exact same procedure. Mojica provided two adequate breath samples giving the result of .206% BAC. The test results were signed and printed out.

As per the email recieved on June 27th, 2024 directing Alcotest operators to use the Alcotest Calculator to confirm that all four BAC readings are within the accepted tolerance window, I completed the Alcotest Calculator input which read, "Breath Samples Are Within Acceptable Tolerance." These printouts were given to S.O. Vojtko for his case file.

During my time with Mojica, she did not put anything in her mouth, belch, burp, or vomit.

No further actions were taken by this Officer.

At the Scene

On September 2 2024 at approximately 2211, I, So J Vojtko, was dispatched to Ocean Avenue in the area of Taylor pavilion for a possible motor vehicle crash that was reported to PO Marron by a passer-by.

Upon my arrival I found a vehicle, bearing New Jersey license plate E30RGG, parked in the decorative gravel area in front of the Taylor Pavilion. The vehicle was partially in the road, over a curb and in the gravel area. I observed a male outside the vehicle and a female in the drivers seat of the vehicle.

I made contact with the male, Miguel O. Mendoza. Mendoza immediatley said "she hit a curb here". I observed the vehicles passenger side tire and rim completely destroyed, along with the front bumper. I had Mendoza speak to other officers on scene. I then approached the driver, later identified as Melany V Mojica.

I asked Mojica what happened and she said she ran over a rock. I immediately noticed that her words were slow and slurred. Her eyes were droopy and she was fumbling for words. I observed an open container of Mike Hard cider on the floor behind the driver. Mojica said "We had a few drinks and it is what it is".

As I talked with her, her speech continued to be slurred. She was able to present me her drivers license but not the vehicle registration or insurance card. I asked her to step out of the vehicle and walked her to the sidewalk, which was reasonably level and free of any tripping hazards. I asked PO Vojtko to extinguish my forward facing emergency lights.

I told Mojica that I detected signs of intoxication. She said that she had been drinking but only had one Smirnoff beer. I asked her if she would be willing to perform a few field sobriety tests. She said that she would perform the tests.

I put Mojica in the starting position for the one leg raise test. I explained and demonstrated the test for her. When I asked if she understood the instructions she said "Yes sir I do". Her speech continued to be slurred and deliberate. Mojica attempted the test but could not perform the test as instructed. She put her foot down several times. Both of her arms were raised for balance and she stumbled a few times.

I put Mojica into the starting position for the walk and turn test as I explained and demonstrated the test. She did not stay in the starting position. I asked her if she understood the test and she said "yeah". Mojica could not complete the test as instructed. She could not touch heel to toe, she used both of her arms for balance.

At this point I placed Mojica under arrest for driving while intoxicated (39:4-50). She was placed into my patrol vehicle #8723 and transported to headquarters.

PO McGill searched the interior of the vehicle for intoxicants and found an empty Mikes hard Cider and two empty bottles of E&J Apple Brandy.

Enroute to headquarters

While enroute to headquarters Mojica kept asking me for her vape pen. She continued to mumble incoherently.

At Headquarters

After pleading with her to get out of my patrol vehicle, I was able to walk Mojita into the booking room and had her sit on the bench. I checked her mouth for foreign object with negative results results.

I then read Mojita the N.J. Attorney Generals standard statement for motor vehicle operators. She replied "Yes of course". I had dispatch mark the start of the twenty minute uninterrupted observation period. During this time Mojita did not place anything into her mouth, she did not belch or vomit.

During the twenty minute observation Mojita was crying then became agitated multiple times. Her speech was still slurred.

At the conclusion of the observation period, Sgt. Bohrman brought Mojita into the Alcotest room. See Sgt. Bohrmans supplement narrative. Mojita provided two good breath samples which provided a final result of 0.206 %BAC.

I was able to contact a responsible party to come get Mojita. When Danille O Chisolm arrived at Headquarters, I explained the Potential Liability Warning to him. He read the same and signed it. I provided the executed copy to him. Mojita was then released.

Summonses issued

Mojita was issued the following Summonses:

1307-BLC-047760 39:4-88 Failure to maintain lane
1307-BLC-047757 39:4-50 Driving while intoxicated
1307-BLC-047759 39:4-51(b) Open alcoholic container in a motor vehicle
1307-BLC-047758 39:4-96 Reckless Driving

Mojita has a mandatory court date of September 18 2024 in Belmar Municipal Court

My Body Worn camera was activated during this incident. I reviewed my BWC