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Two agents recovering from injuries in Grenada County motor vehicle accident

JACKSON - Two Probation and Parole agents with the Mississippi Department of Corrections are home recovering from injuries sustained in a two-vehicle crash in Grenada County Wednesday.

Agents Sherlaine Mims, 39, of Houston, and John S. Brown, 61, of Starkville were traveling east on Mississippi Highway 8 when their Nissan Versa and a Jeep Patriot going west collided at the intersection of Camp McCain Road at 11:49 a.m.

It appears that the driver of the Jeep attempted to make a left turn and pulled into the path of the Versa, driven by Mims, according to the Mississippi Highway Patrol.

All three persons were taken to local hospitals, and Mims and Brown were later released. The accident remains under investigation.

“I am thankful that the two agents are doing as well as they are, considering the severity of the accident,” Commissioner Pelicia E. Hall said. “We are keeping them as well as the driver of the other vehicle in our thoughts and prayers.”

Mims and Brown were on duty when the accident occurred. They were heading back to Monroe County, where they are assigned, from the Delta Correctional Facility in Leflore County.