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Attempted Homicide

Location of Incident: 8700 block of S. Avenue D – Yuma, AZ.

On Tuesday, April 13, 2021 at approximately 5:55 AM, the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office deputies responded to a two vehicle injury collision in the area of the 8700 block of S. Avenue D.

The investigation revealed that the suspect and the victim were involved in a dispute when the collision took place. The victim had just left her residence when she noticed she was being followed by the suspect.

Both vehicles were traveling southbound on South Avenue D when the suspect struck the driver side of the victim’s vehicle. As a result, the victim lost control and subsequently collided into a pole where the victim sustained several injuries. The victim was transported to YRMC and remains in stable condition.

The suspect, Lorenzo Alegria Zavala, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for Attempted 2nd degree Murder, Aggravated Assault, and Endangerment.

Anyone with information regarding this case, please contact the Yuma County Sheriff’s Office at 928-783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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