

## CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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## CAR CRASHED INTO 7-ELEVEN

On Saturday, August 9, 2008, the Fort Lauderdale Police Department investigated a traffic crash involving a motor vehicle that crashed into a 7-Eleven store located at 1637 E. Sunrise Boulevard. Although there was significant damage to the store, there were no reported injuries.

According to investigators, Terry A. Johnson, 45, a Fort Lauderdale resident, was operating a 2004 Mitsubishi when she was attempting to pull into a parking space. For reasons unknown, Johnson failed to decrease speed to avoid a collision and crashed directly into the 7-Eleven store. The vehicle came to final rest with the entire vehicle inside of the store. Johnson was unharmed along with her passenger, Lamont Cradle. The incident was captured on surveillance video. The damage to the store was reported in excess of \$25,000.

Johnson was issued a traffic citation for Failure to Use Due Care; a moving violation.

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