



CITY OF GENEVA

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NEWS RELEASE

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TEEN DIES AFTER BEING STRUCK BY FREIGHT TRAIN

An 18-year-old Geneva man died Feb. 8 after he was struck by an eastbound freight train near the Western Avenue grade crossing in Geneva.

Geneva Police officers and firefighters were dispatched at 9:51 p.m. for a report of a train accident involving a pedestrian. Upon arrival, police officers met with the train conductor and located the teen near the Union Pacific-West railway tracks east of Western Avenue. He was pronounced dead on the scene.

The teen was struck by the train on the northernmost track west of the Western Avenue crossing. He was reportedly alone at the time of the incident, and preliminary findings indicate no foul play is suspected.

The stopped freight train blocked the Western Avenue crossing for several hours due to the emergency response. The incident remains under investigation by the Geneva Police Department and the Kane County Coroner's Office. The teen's family members are still being notified about this tragedy, and the Police Department will not be releasing his name at this time.

The Geneva Police and Fire departments were assisted on the scene by the Metra Police Department, Geneva Emergency Management Agency, and Kane County Office of Emergency Management.

GENEVA POLICE WEEKLY ARRESTS

02/07/26 – 02/13/26

Last Name: Sullivan

First Name: Raymond

Middle Name: J.

Age: 62

Address: 39W000 block Herrington Boulevard

City: Geneva

State: IL

Zip: 60134

- Charges:**
- Driving under the influence of alcohol
 - 625 ILCS 5/11-501(a)(2)
 - Speeding
 - 625 ILCS 5/11-601(b)

Arrest Location: 400 block West State Street, Geneva, Illinois

Arrest Date & Time: 02-08-26, at 12:22 a.m.



Last Name: Gordon

First Name: Chaiten

Middle Name: A.

Age: 34

Address: 100 block North Farnsworth Avenue

City: Aurora

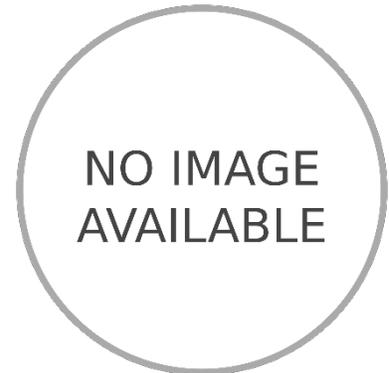
State: IL

Zip: 60505

- Charges:**
- Driving while license suspended
 - 625 ILCS 5/6-303(a)

Arrest Location: 100 block West State Street, Geneva, Illinois

Arrest Date & Time: 02-08-26, at 1:37 a.m.





Adult Arrests Detail Report



Print Date/Time: 02/09/2026 10:17
Login ID:

GENEVA POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: IL0450700

From Date: 02/02/2026 00:00 To Date: 02/09/2026 23:59

Arrest Detail

Arrest Number : 11615 Adult	Arrest Date: 02/05/2026 18:57	Status Date:
Arrestee Name: LEW, ZACHARY T	Arrestee Type: CITATION / SUMMONS ISSUED	Arrest Status:
Arrest Location: 400 S RANDALL RD		Case Number: 2026-00001962
Miranda Date:	ID Procedure:	
Miranda By:	Resident Type:	
Statement Taken By:	Resident Status:	
Statement Type:	Basis for Caution:	
Arrest Result Of: TRAFFIC STOP	Alcohol Influence:	
Age at Arrest: 23	Drug Influence:	
Resisted Arrest:	Clears Case:	YES
Campus Code:		

Charges

Group/ORI L/IL0450700	Crime Code/Desc: 5060 TRAFFIC: Other Violations	Statute/Desc: G11-601.5 DRIVING 26 MPH OR MORE IN EXCESS OF APPLICABLE LIMIT COMMIT
Charge Date/Time: 02/05/2026 18:57	Attempt Code:	
Counts: 1	Domestic Code:	
Plea:	Disposition:	
Larceny Code:	Disposition Date:	
Other ORI: False	NCIC Code:	

Arresting Officer(s)

Badge Number/Last Name: 154/OLIVER	Assigned Bureau:	School Resource Officer: No
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Injury Information

None



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Print Date/Time: 02/09/2026 10:17
Login ID:

GENEVA POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: IL0450700

From Date: 02/02/2026 00:00 To Date: 02/09/2026 23:59

Arrest Detail

Arrest Number :
11614 Adult

Arrest Date:
02/05/2026 21:41

Status Date:

Arrestee Name:
PORRAS-VEGA, MIGUEL A

Arrestee Type:
CITATION / SUMMONS ISSUED

Arrest Status:

Arrest Location:
300 W STATE ST

Case Number:
2026-00001973

Miranda Date:
Miranda By:
Statement Taken By:
Statement Type:
Arrest Result Of: TRAFFIC STOP
Age at Arrest: 57
Resisted Arrest:
Campus Code:

ID Procedure:
Resident Type:
Resident Status:
Basis for Caution:
Alcohol Influence:
Drug Influence:
Clears Case: YES

Charges

Group/ORI L/IL0450700	Crime Code/Desc: 2480 TRAFFIC: Suspended/Revoked Drivers License	Statute/Desc: G6-303a DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED/REVOKED COMMIT
Charge Date/Time: Counts: Plea: Larceny Code: Other ORI:	02/05/2026 21:41 1 False	Attempt Code: Domestic Code: Disposition: Disposition Date: NCIC Code:

Arresting Officer(s)

Badge Number/Last Name: 132/PRIEST	Assigned Bureau:	School Resource Officer: No
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Injury Information

None

Arrest Detail

Arrest Number :
11607 Adult

Arrest Date:
02/03/2026 20:37

Status Date:

Arrestee Name:
BAYONA, EDWIN GARCIA

Arrestee Type:
CITATION / SUMMONS ISSUED

Arrest Status:

Arrest Location:
600 N KIRK RD

Case Number:
2026-00001859



Adult Arrests Detail Report



Print Date/Time: 02/09/2026 10:17
Login ID:

GENEVA POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: IL0450700

From Date: 02/02/2026 00:00 To Date: 02/09/2026 23:59

Miranda Date:	02/03/2026 21:13	ID Procedure:	
Miranda By:	BRENNAN MULROE	Resident Type:	
Statement Taken By:		Resident Status:	
Statement Type:		Basis for Caution:	
Arrest Result Of:	ON-VIEW	Alcohol Influence:	YES
Age at Arrest:	65	Drug Influence:	
Resisted Arrest:		Clears Case:	YES
Campus Code:			

Charges

Group/ORI S/State	Crime Code/Desc: 5060 TRAFFIC: Other Violations	Statute/Desc: 625 ILCS 5.0/12-201-B EQUIPMENT: DRIVING WITHOUT LIGHTS WHEN REQUIRED COMMIT
Charge Date/Time:	02/03/2026 21:31	Attempt Code:
Counts:	1	Domestic Code:
Plea:		Disposition:
Larceny Code:		Disposition Date:
Other ORI:	False	NCIC Code:

Group/ORI S/State	Crime Code/Desc: 2410 TRAFFIC: DUI - Alcohol	Statute/Desc: 625 ILCS 5.0/11-501-A-2 DUI: ALCOHOL COMMIT
Charge Date/Time:	02/03/2026 21:31	Attempt Code:
Counts:	1	Domestic Code:
Plea:		Disposition:
Larceny Code:		Disposition Date:
Other ORI:	False	NCIC Code:

Group/ORI S/State	Crime Code/Desc: 2411 TRAFFIC: DUI - Alcohol - BAC .08 or More	Statute/Desc: 625 ILCS 5.0/11-501-A-1 DUI: BAC .08 OR MORE COMMIT
Charge Date/Time:	02/03/2026 21:51	Attempt Code:
Counts:	1	Domestic Code:
Plea:		Disposition:
Larceny Code:		Disposition Date:
Other ORI:	False	NCIC Code:

Arresting Officer(s)

Badge Number/Last Name: 152/SCHROEDER	Assigned Bureau:	School Resource Officer: No
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Badge Number/Last Name: 135/MULROE	Assigned Bureau:	School Resource Officer: No
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Injury Information

None

Arrest Detail

Arrest Date:	Status Date:
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Adult Arrests Detail Report



Print Date/Time: 02/09/2026 10:17
Login ID:

GENEVA POLICE DEPARTMENT
ORI Number: IL0450700

From Date: 02/02/2026 00:00 To Date: 02/09/2026 23:59

Arrest Number :
11605 Adult

02/02/2026 00:13

Arrestee Name:
CERVANTES-VASQUEZ, ROBERTO

Arrestee Type:
CITATION / SUMMONS ISSUED

Arrest Status:

Arrest Location:
500 N KIRK RD

Case Number:
2026-00001736

Miranda Date:
Miranda By:
Statement Taken By:
Statement Type:
Arrest Result Of: ON-VIEW
Age at Arrest: 37
Resisted Arrest:
Campus Code:

ID Procedure:
Resident Type:
Resident Status:
Basis for Caution:
Alcohol Influence:
Drug Influence:
Clears Case: YES

Charges

Group/ORI L/IL0450700	Crime Code/Desc: 2480 TRAFFIC: Suspended/Revoked Drivers License	Statute/Desc: G6-303a DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED/REVOKED COMMIT
Charge Date/Time: Counts: Plea: Larceny Code: Other ORI:	02/02/2026 00:56 1 False	Attempt Code: Domestic Code: Disposition: Disposition Date: NCIC Code:
Group/ORI L/IL0450700	Crime Code/Desc: 5060 TRAFFIC: Other Violations	Statute/Desc: G3-413(F) EXPIRED REGISTRATION COMMIT
Charge Date/Time: Counts: Plea: Larceny Code: Other ORI:	02/02/2026 00:56 1 False	Attempt Code: Domestic Code: Disposition: Disposition Date: NCIC Code:
Group/ORI L/IL0450700	Crime Code/Desc: 2461 TRAFFIC: Operating Uninsured Motor Vehicle	Statute/Desc: G3-707 OPERATION OF UNINSURED MOTOR VEHICLE COMMIT
Charge Date/Time: Counts: Plea: Larceny Code: Other ORI:	02/02/2026 00:56 1 False	Attempt Code: Domestic Code: Disposition: Disposition Date: NCIC Code:

Arresting Officer(s)

Badge Number/Last Name:
140/WARD

Assigned Bureau:

School Resource Officer:
No

Injury Information

None