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Press Release
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Motor Vehicle Crash
24-000903

On April 1st 2024, at approximately 1123 hrs., Berkeley Township Police officers responded to the area of 333 Rt 9. (NovaCare Rehabilitation) for a report of a motor vehicle crash. Upon arrival, officers observed a single vehicle crash involving a blue Volkswagen Atlas that had driven into the building.

The preliminary investigation revealed that the Volkswagen was in the process of parking northbound into a designated handicapped parking space adjacent to the building. The driver stated that while he was parking and repositioning the vehicle, it accelerated unexpectedly. As a result, the driver drove into the building and injured an employee, who later refused further medical attention. The driver and his wife were uninjured in the crash. The vehicle sustained significant damage and was subsequently removed by Priced Right Towing.

The Bayville Fire Department Station 17 and the Berkeley Township building inspector responded to make the scene safe. NovaCare Rehabilitation was deemed structurally unsafe for the time being and was boarded up.