

Teen driver flees from police; arrest follows

**(KAIR)--A teenager is facing charges in connection to an alleged attempt to flee from Atchison Police.**

**According to a release from Atchison Police Chief Mike Wilson, an officer attempted to stop the Chevrolet Monte Carlo, allegedly driven by the 17-year-old boy, shortly after midnight Sunday in the 200 block of North 5th Street. According to Wilson, the stop was being made for traffic violations.**

**However, the vehicle failed to stop, instead fleeing from the officer and making his way into Atchison County.**

**The Kansas Highway Patrol and the Atchison County Sheriff- Office assisted with the search for the suspect vehicle, with a deputy and trooper able to take the driver into custody.**

**Wilson says the teen was arrested on charges for fleeing and attempting to elude, reckless driving, no vehicle tag, and other traffic charges.**

**Following his arrest, the teen was released to a guardian.**

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