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Bismarck man faces numerous charges after 3-hour pursuit

Mandan, N.D. – A 29-year-old Bismarck man that fled from a traffic stop in Mandan yesterday and led law enforcement on a nearly 3-hour chase had multiple warrants for his arrest from multiple jurisdictions. Warrants were out for his arrest included drug charges, simple assault of a peace officer and other fleeing charges.

Dylan Himes was arrested after finally coming to a stop when spike strips deflated the vehicle's tires south of Mandan on Highway 1806. Himes is charged with theft of property, reckless endangerment, fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer, reckless driving and driving while license privilege is suspended or revoked.

When fleeing, Himes drove recklessly, striking a vehicle in Mandan and causing injury to the other party. He fled in a maroon Pontiac Grand Am until abandoning it on 20th Ave, south of Mandan. He then fled on foot and stole a white Ford pickup with an attached gooseneck trailer at a nearby residence and nearly struck an individual on their ATV as he continued to flee. While Himes was pursued throughout southern Morton County, into Sioux County and then back through Morton County, law enforcement made several attempts to flatten the tires with spike strips and stop the vehicle. He often swerved to avoid the strips and completed a U-turn on Highway 1806 when confronted with a Bureau of Indian Affairs roadblock at the Cannonball Bridge.

At approximately mile marker 60 at the Little Heart Bridge, another spike strip was used and the suspect was unable to avoid it, which caused the tires to deflate and several large pieces of rubber were coming off the vehicle. The rims eventually began to smoke and gouge the roadway. The vehicle came to a stop just north of County Road 138A. The suspect was taken into custody without incident at approximately 5:20pm and transported to the Burleigh/Morton Detention Center by a MCSO deputy.

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