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# News Release

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## UPDATE TO ANIMAL CRUELTY INVESTIGATION IN LULING

At approximately 2:00 p.m. on October 7, 2024, deputies received a report about a gray vehicle dragging a dog down Bradwall Street in Luling. Upon arrival, deputies spoke to a witness who described the incident. The witness saw a gray vehicle driving on Bradwall Street towards River Road with a dog being dragged by a makeshift rope. The witness and a bystander got the driver's attention, stopped the vehicle, freed the dog, and brought it to safety.

The driver of the gray vehicle was identified as 51-year-old Tammy Veillon, a female from Luling. Veillon was taken into custody and transported to the Nelson Coleman Correctional Center. She has been charged with Aggravated Cruelty to Animals and is currently being held without bond until she appears before a judge.

A representative from the St. Charles Parish Animal Shelter stated that the dog is in stable but critical condition as of this morning. The first 24 hours are the most crucial for survival. If you want to donate items or send a monetary donation, visit the animal shelter's Facebook page for more information.

All subjects are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

