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PRESS RELEASE

On February 11, 2014, Police initiated a vehicle and traffic stop on West Street for an observed traffic violation. Following interview of the operator, and subsequent field sobriety testing, the handling officer determined the operator to be intoxicated.

Police arrested **Gary L. Senecal**, 54, of Buckley Road, Whitehall, and charged him with the following:

- **Driving While Intoxicated** – Misdemeanor
- **Assault 2nd Degree** – Class D Felony

Senecal was transported and processed at the Police Department. A chemical test was administered and determined the alcohol content of Senecal's blood to be 0.13%. During arrest processing at the station, Senecal became uncooperative and while being returned to the processing room, caused minor injuries to the handling officer.

The officer was treated and released at the station by Skenesborough EMS.

Senecal was arraigned in Whitehall Village Court and remanded to the Washington County Correctional Facility for a lack of \$1,500.00 cash / \$3,000.00 bond.

The case was handled by Patrolman Jeffrey Grenier. Whitehall Police were assisted by the Washington County Sheriff's Office.



WPD Arrest Photo



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