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Fla. fire chief gets probation in motorist's death. He hit a 75-year-old man's truck while speeding to a fire, killing the driver

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JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — A man was dead and 17 months later, it was time for Jacksonville District Fire Chief Adrian Johnson to stand before a judge and answer for it.

Hands folded and head down, Johnson looked penitent as he waited alone on a bench outside Courtroom 32 before his hearing began Wednesday. When it did, the chief pleaded no contest to a misdemeanor charge of culpable negligence in the death of a 75-year-old man whose truck he hit while speeding to a fire.

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