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PRESS RELEASE

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On November 01, 2023, a missing person report was filed with the Spotsylvania Sheriff's Office for Terrance Darryl Smith. Mr. Smith arrived in Spotsylvania from New York on October 28, 2023 to visit a female acquaintance. When Mr. Smith's family realized he had not returned to New York and heard from him, they immediately became worried as this was out of character. With persistence from the family, the female acquaintance reported him missing. The case was assigned to a detective who began investigating Mr. Smith's whereabouts and phone records. On November 16th, detectives discovered human remains not far from the home of the female acquaintance in the area of Timber Ridge Townhomes. The skeletal remains, which were in advance stage of decomposition had been sent to the Office of the Medical Examiner. The remains were positively identified as Terrance Smith, however, a cause of death has yet to be determined. Detectives are still actively investigating this incident.

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