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Press Release

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UPDATE

The body that was discovered on March 1, 2022 in the wooded area next to Salem Run community has been identified as an adult male. The next to kin has been notified. The cause of death has not yet been determined, however there are no obvious signs of trauma to the victim. The identity is being withheld at this time while detectives with the Sheriff's Office continue to investigate the incident. The Sheriff's Office is still awaiting autopsy report from the Medical Examiner's Office.

On March 01, 2022 at approximately 7:30PM, deputies located a body in a wooded area next to the Salem Run community. The exact sequence of events is being investigated by the Detectives and treated as a suspicious death. As the investigation continues, we will make you aware of all pertinent facts concerning the incident. The body has been turned over to the Chief Medical Examiner's Office in Richmond, VA. No further information will be released at this time.

