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PRESS RELEASE

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Case Number: 14ES07279

Narrative: Essex Police received a call at 1225 hours today regarding the sighting of a body in the Winooski River. Essex Police with the assistance of Colchester Technical Rescue recovered the body of a white male subject appearing to be in his early to mid-twenties. Although the body has NOT been positively identified Essex Police have been searching for the body of 22 year old Matt Trono since December of 2014. Trono is believed to have drowned after jumping off the North Williston Rd. Bridge. Trono fits the description of the body recovered from the Winooski River. The body was recovered approximately 1 mile east of the power plant dam in Essex. The body was transferred to the Office of The Chief Medical Examiner in Burlington for autopsy and positive identification.

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