



**SPRINGFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS**

**Kenny Winslow
Chief of Police**

Springfield, Illinois – On January 5, at approximately 7:45 a.m., the Springfield Police Department was notified of a vehicle submerged in Lake Springfield. The vehicle was located via sonar near the Spaulding Dam boat launch. CWLP Security, Sangamon County ESDA, and the Springfield Fire Department assisted with the recovery of the vehicle. After the vehicle was removed from the lake, police learned that a deceased, white male was found inside the vehicle.

At this time no foul play is suspected.

Additional information including the identity of the individual will be released by the Sangamon County Coroner's Office following an autopsy.

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