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NEWS RELEASE

APD NEWS RELEASE:

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Incident: Deceased Located in Ditch

Abbotsford – November 21, 2009.

At 12:10 pm this afternoon the Abbotsford Police Department received a call of a man down in the 1100 block of Sumas Way. A witness indicated that a person was in a water-filled ditch and that the individual appeared to be deceased. Members of our Patrol Division arrived on scene and have verified these facts. At this point, the specifics regarding the circumstances of death and information about the individual are extremely limited. Abbotsford Police Patrol Division officers, Major Crime detectives, our Forensic Identification Unit and the BC Coroners Service are involved in the investigation.

We will provide updates to this information as the investigation progresses.

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