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HUMAN REMAINS

On May 12th, at approximately 7:00 P.M., the Fort Lauderdale Police Department received a call regarding human remains that were discovered in a wooded area near the 6200 block of Northwest 21st Avenue in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

The scene was secured until the daylight hours when the remains could be excavated and the wooded area examined for evidence.

This morning, detectives from the Fort Lauderdale Police Department's Crime Scene and Homicide Units, and the Broward County Medical Examiner's Office, responded to the scene to begin the meticulous investigation of identifying the individual and attempting to determine the details surrounding this death. A Sunrise Police Department Crime Scene Technician, who has advanced training in anthropology, also responded to the scene to assist with this investigation.

At this time, detectives believe the remains are of an adult male and do not suspect foul play played a role in this death.

This remains an active and on-going investigation.

Detectives have released photos of the male's light blue button down shirt and Saucony sneakers in hopes that a member of the community can assist in identifying

Anyone who has information regarding this incident should contact Detective Juan Cabrera at 954-828-5581 or the Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-8477 (TIPS).





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