



# San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

## NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

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### SYNOPSIS:

On December 17, 2018, at approximately 09:31 A.M., deputies assigned to the North Coastal Station responded to West B Street and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in the city of Encinitas on a report of a deceased white male adult that was found behind the tennis courts at Cotton Wood Creek. The Encinitas Fire Department arrived on scene prior to deputy's arrival and they pronounced the white male deceased. Deputies examined the area and there was no preliminary evidence of injury or foul play discovered. The San Diego County Medical Examiner's Office responded to the scene and took custody of the body. The Medical Examiner's Office will conduct an autopsy to determine the cause and manner of death, and notify the family.

The Medical Examiner's office is conducting the investigation and will release the victim's information after they have notified his next of kin.