
**NEVADA COUNTY
SHERIFF'S OFFICE**



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PRESS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release:

A family group rafting on the Yuba River discovered a deceased individual in the Yuba River in the Pla Vada area on Saturday, July 15th. After making a 911 call to report the matter, California Highway Patrol and Cal Fire arrived on scene. At this point they contacted the Nevada County Regional Dispatch center and asked for Sheriff's deputies to respond. The decedent was located near the 51000 block of Conifer Drive.

Detectives were notified and responded to the scene where, with the assistance of Nevada County Consolidated Fire, removed the subject from the water. The subject was positively identified, however the name, age, and gender is not being released until next of kin notification has been made.

At this time the case is under investigation and the cause of death has not been determined.

Update: July 16, 2017

Subject has been identified as 28 year-old Seylin Sengvanhpheng of Sacramento.

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