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Missing Person Located/Death Investigation

Bloomington, IL-On Monday, 04/17/23, Melissa Sue Ostrom, was reported missing. On Thursday, 04/20/23, after an extensive search of the area by the Bloomington Police Department, McLean County Sheriff's Office, and the McLean County EMA, the body of a female was located.

Once the body of a female was located, the McLean County Coroner's Office was notified. The female body was identified as Melissa S. Ostrom. A short time later, the McLean County Coroner's Office pronounced Melissa deceased on the scene. An autopsy is pending. The investigation is ongoing.

The circumstances behind this incident are still pending investigation by the Bloomington Police Department and the McLean County Coroner's Office. Anyone with information should contact Detective P. Diaz at 309-434-2532 or pdiaz@cityblm.org.

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