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Media Release: August 5, 2024 **Homicide Investigation**

On August 4, 2024, at around 9:40am deputies were dispatched to Eureka Canyon Rd and Grizzly Flat Rd for the report of a deceased body that had been found. Deputies arrived on scene and detectives were called in to investigate. Sadly, the decedent has been identified as the missing woman from a Watsonville Police Department case, 25-year-old Lizbeth Arceo Sedano.

Her death is being investigated as a homicide. Cause and manner will be determined by our Forensic Pathologist and detectives will continue to investigate this case.

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