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PRESS RELEASE

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INCIDENT: Body Found in Vehicle - Suicide **CONTACT:** Sergeant Jeff Higbee

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STATEMENT:

Detectives are gathering information in reference to a possible suicide.

Police received a call from the Ontario Mills Mall security in reference to a suspicious vehicle parked in the lot.

The car had South Carolina license plates and a strong odor was coming from the car.

The plate came back associated with a missing man from South Carolina.

A man's body was discovered in the trunk. There were no visible signs of injury or foul play. All indications appear that the man committed suicide.

The coroner's office has taken possession of the body and the name is being withheld pending notification to family.

Information can also be reported anonymously by calling WE-TIP at (800) 78-CRIME or online at www.wetip.com