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## **Ridge Closure**

On Tuesday, April 30, 2013 approximately 0800 hours, East Bay Region Parks Police working in concert with the Pleasanton Police Department closed the Pleasanton Ridge Park at the staging area, south of Castlewood Drive. The park was closed for approximately 4 hours while police conducted a death investigation.

On Monday evening, the Pleasanton Police Department received a report of a missing male resident. The Pleasanton Police Department worked throughout the evening attempting to locate the missing man. Ultimately, late last night, the man's car was located in the parking lot of the Pleasanton Ridge Park, which is East Bay Parks Police Jurisdiction. The two agencies worked together to try to locate the missing man.

This morning around 8:30 am, the missing man was located in the hills of the Pleasanton Ridge Park. The Alameda County Coroner's office came to the scene and will be conducting an investigation to determine the official cause of the man's death. Foul play is not suspected.