



ST. LOUIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS RELEASE

INCIDENT DATE: 10-26-13 INCIDENT TIME: 5:57PM

INCIDENT LOCATION: McDavitt Township

INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED: (Refer to News Media Policy-Rules III A.1 Thru 4: Procedures B.1, A thru J & 1; 2b; 3b; g & h; 4a, b, & c)

Name: _____ Age: 52 Address: Duluth, MN

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LOST PERSON/PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

St. Louis County Deputies responded to a call of a 52 year old Duluth man that had become lost while photographing birds in the Sax-Zim Bog area. The photographer became disoriented while following a raptor into a swampy area. He was led out of the swamp through the concerted efforts of St. Louis County, 911 Dispatchers and a Sheriff's Deputy. The Sheriff's Office would like to remind everyone participating in outdoor activities to take a few precautions prior to entering areas that they may be unfamiliar with: Let someone know where you are going and when you are expected to return, check the weather before you go and dress appropriately, if possible bring a fully charged cell-phone, GPS, and/or a map and compass.

ASSISTING AGENCIES:

St. Louis County Dispatch, St. Louis County Rescue Squad

AUTHORITY: Sgt Neil Porter 218-269-7428 DATE: 10-27-13 TIME: 0400

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR UPDATE:

AUTHORITY: _____ DATE: _____ TIME: _____