



## ***Public Information Release***

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The Sheriff's Major Crimes Unit has developed further details about the missing Toyota truck that reportedly belonged to Frank Maddox, and is believed to be possibly connected to the deaths of Maddox and his wife, Yvette Maddox.

The bodies of Frank and Yvette Maddox were discovered at the bottom of an embankment about 6 miles east of Lower Lake last Thursday by two motorists traveling through Lake County. Detectives have since arrested a person of interest in the case of their deaths, 29 year old Robby Alan Beasley, for an unrelated fugitive warrant out of the State of Maine.

During their investigation over the past weekend, detectives learned that a truck reportedly belonging to Frank Maddox had been missing since their disappearance in late January/early February. Detectives have since learned that a truck, believed to be the one being sought, had been called in to the County Code Compliance office on January 25<sup>th</sup> as an abandoned vehicle parked on Jerusalem Grade Road near Spruce Grove Road, near Hidden Valley Lake. Code Compliance tagged the truck for abatement on February 2<sup>nd</sup> and took several photographs of it. However, some time between February 2<sup>nd</sup> and February 18<sup>th</sup>, the truck was moved by someone and had been seen parked several miles further north, on Spruce Grove Road near Noble Ranch Road on February 18<sup>th</sup>, and again on February 23<sup>rd</sup>. The truck has since left that location and its whereabouts are still unknown.

The missing truck is described as a 1982 Toyota pick-up, either tan, beige, or pale yellow in color, with a black camper shell. Photos taken by Code Compliance further reveal that the primer paint is exposed on the hood and roof areas and that the truck has oversized tires with chrome and gold wheels, a chrome brush guard on the front, and had California license plates of 1MHV850 at the time the photos were taken.

**Anyone with information on the possible whereabouts, recent sightings, or recent drivers of the truck are asked to immediately contact the Sheriff's Major Crimes Unit at 262-4200.**

As a result of the search warrants served at his residences on Saturday, Robby Alan Beasley has had additional local felony charges filed against him for cultivation of marijuana, possession of marijuana for sales, and maintaining a place for the unlawful sales of marijuana. He is now in custody with a \$1,000,000 bail for those charges however an additional no-bail warrant has also been signed by a magistrate in the State of Maine for the additional violation(s) of his probation. He remains a person of interest in the deaths of Frank and Yvette Maddox at the present time.