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Body found in submerged vehicle on Johns Island

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NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C. – The Charleston County Sheriff's Office is continuing to investigate after a body was found Friday night in a submerged vehicle on Johns Island.

Deputies responded shortly about 7 p.m. Friday to Turtle Marsh Lane near Great Egret Drive to a report of tire tracks leading to a pond. Dive teams searched the pond and confirmed the presence of a vehicle with a deceased subject inside. Crews recovered the vehicle.

CCSO's Traffic Services Unit is investigating the death as a traffic fatality. It marks the 13th traffic fatality investigated this year by CCSO.

The Charleston County Coroner's Office will provide details regarding the death when appropriate.

The Charleston Police Department assisted CCSO at the scene.

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