



# ALLEGHENY COUNTY

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## **Body Recovered from Ohio River, County Police Investigating**

**Allegheny County** – This morning, December 31, 2018, at approximately 10:35 a.m., the Ohio Township Police and paramedics were dispatched to the Emsworth Lock and Dam on the Ohio River in response to a 9-1-1 call about a body in the river. There they found the body of a man floating face down in the river. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

Detectives from the Allegheny County Police Homicide Unit responded to the scene. The man has been tentatively identified and the investigation is ongoing.

Anyone with information concerning this incident is asked to call the Allegheny County Police Tipline at **1-833-ALL-TIPS** (1-833-255-8477); callers can remain anonymous. The department can also be reached via its social media sites.

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