

NEWS RELEASE



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CASE NUMBER: 09-8971

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 11/18/2009 - 2215

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NATURE OF STORY: Overdue Subjects

**LOCATION: Hwy 101 MP 173 – approximately 8 miles
South of Yachats**

DETAILS: On November 18, 2009, at approximately 2215/hrs, the Lane County Sheriff's Office was notified of two overdue subjects. It was reported the two male adults from Yachats, had not returned from a fishing trip. Both adults, one age 62 and one age 24, are reported to have been fishing from the shoreline in the area. A vehicle belonging to one of the missing persons has been located close to the area they were reported to have been fishing.

Overnight weather conditions were reported to have been very stormy, with high winds causing beach access to be very limited. The Coast Guard has flown the area and has not located the two subjects. Lane County Search and Rescue members are in the area with a ground crew and are continuing the search.

Names are not being released at this time and there is no other information available.

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