



NEWS RELEASE

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Columbia Heights Manny Collins– News Conference

It is with heavy hearts the Columbia Heights Police Department and Anoka County Sheriff's Office announce that human remains were located over the weekend. After further testing, the remains were identified as Jordan (Manny) Collins, Jr. We wish to express our condolences to his mother, family, and loved ones during this tragic time.

The Midwest Medical Examiner's Office will determine the cause of death. Law enforcement from the Columbia Heights Police Department, Anoka County Sheriff's Office, Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, and Federal Bureau of Investigation are continuing to investigate Manny's death.

Local, state, and federal agencies all want to ensure that justice is served. Every available resource is being directed toward the lawful arrest of anyone responsible for Manny's death.

The Columbia Heights Police Department, Anoka County Sheriff's Office, Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, and Federal Bureau of Investigation will be holding a news conference this morning to share investigation updates with the community.

Tuesday, July 1, 2025, at 10 A.M.

Anoka County Sheriff's Office

Community Room

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This news conference will also be streamed on the Anoka County Sheriff's Office's [Facebook page](#).

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