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Body Discovered near Niagara Dam

(Roanoke County, VA—January 26, 2021) The Roanoke County Police Department is investigating after a body was discovered in the water near Niagara Dam (southeast of Vinton) this morning at 10:30. The body will be taken to the Medical Examiner's Office for identification. The investigation is ongoing.