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**Body found on DSU campus**

**CLEVELAND, Miss. —** Earlier today, Delta State University staff discovered a deceased individual on campus. University Police and local authorities were immediately notified and are conducting an active investigation.

At this time, we have no further details to share. Out of respect for the individual and their loved ones, we will refrain from additional comment until authorities release more information.

Our community is deeply saddened by this loss. We extend our heartfelt condolences to the family and friends impacted.

Counselors and support services are available to students, faculty, and staff through the O.W. Reilly Counseling Center.

We will share updates when appropriate and ask for your thoughts and compassion during this difficult time.

All Centennial events and classes for today have been canceled.

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**About Delta State University:**Delta State University is a four-year public institution whose nearly 2,700 students come from most U.S. states and more than 45 countries. Acknowledging its beginning as a teacher’s college, the University sustains excellence in teacher education while continuing to expand offerings in traditional as well as unique fields of study. Programs such as those available through the Delta Music Institute, the Commercial Aviation Department, and the Center for Interdisciplinary Geospatial Information highlight the University’s commitment to meeting the evolving needs of the students it serves with world-leading, industry-acclaimed programs. Situated in the heart of the Mississippi Delta, Delta State offers top-notch academic programs in business, arts, sciences, nursing, education, and more. DSU Athletics has won 14 national championships, 70 conference championships, and 37 regional titles.