

NEWS RELEASE



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CASE NUMBER: 2008-5886

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 08/03/2008 at 7:00PM

DATE/TIME OF RELEASE: 08/04/2008 at 12:00 noon

NATURE OF STORY: Search - Missing Camper

LOCATION: Blair Lake Area - NW of Oakridge

**INVOLVED: Beaver, Tresa - DOB: 08/15/1975
4353 Marcum Lane, Eugene, OR**

DETAILS: Lane County Sheriff's search and rescue crews and Oregon State Police responded to an overdue subject call near Blair Lake. Beaver, who was part of a group who were each solo camping, was past due arriving at her pickup point off Forest Service spur road 730. Search crews responded and searched for Beaver throughout the night after locating her unoccupied camp area. She was located at 3:38AM on FS Road 24, after walking a distance of nearly 20 miles.

Beaver stated that she thought she was heading down a trail to Blair Lake but made a wrong turn and travelled in a south-east direction, opposite of her intended route of travel. She had no survival equipment with her during the time she was lost. She located a road and followed it until one of the Troopers found her on the road.

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