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Human Remains Found At Lake Travis

On Saturday, May 24, 2008, at about 10am, a boater on Lake Travis tied their boat to the shore between Hippy Hollow Park and the Oasis Restaurant. They then found a tennis shoe with what they believed to be human remains inside the shoe and called 911.

A Travis County Sheriff's Detective and a crime scene technician were called to the scene and collected the remains with the shoe and searched the area for any other evidence. They found no other evidence at the scene and transported the remains to the Travis County Medical Examiner's Office to continue the investigation.

On November 20, 2007 a similar shoe was found at Windy Point Park, 7144 Comanche Trail, with human remains.

The ME's Office determined today that the shoe found on Saturday is a match to the one found in November.

Until detectives receive the DNA results from the University of North Texas they are not speculating as to whom the remains belong.

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