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Press Release

Subject: Skydiving accident turns Fatal for Lodi resident

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A 23 year old Lodi man involved in a skydiving accident at Sky Dance skydiving in Davis died as a result of his injuries sustained in the accident.

On Saturday, August 24, 2013 at approximately 6:00pm, Yolo County Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to the Yolo County Airport Sky Dance facility for a call involving a skydiving accident. Upon arrival, deputies located the body of the deceased skydiver approximately 1 mile southeast of the Sky Dance drop zone. His canopy and harness was also located 1 mile northeast of the drop zone.

At this point in the investigation, it is unknown how the victim became detached from his skydiving gear.

Friends and fellow skydivers stated that victim was an experienced skydiver with more than 600 jumps.

The victims name is being withheld pending notification of next of kin. An autopsy is scheduled for today.

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