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POLICE MEDIA ADVISORY

Date: September 1st, 2022
To: San Diego Media
From: Chula Vista Police Department
Contact: Sergeant Anthony Molina, Public Information Officer
Phone: (619) 385-6775
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Subject: AT RISK MISSING ADULT WITH RARE EATING DISORDER – LOREN HOBROCK

Message: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

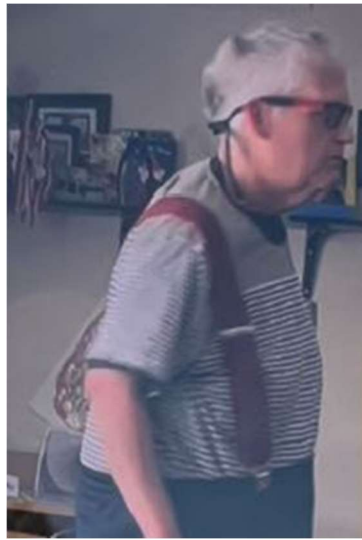
On Sunday, August 28th, 2022 at approximately 2:30 P.M., 51-year-old Loren Hobrock, walked away from his independent living facility located in the 300 Block of Corte Maria Avenue in Chula Vista. An employee of the facility followed him for a short while but lost sight of him near the intersection of Fourth Avenue and C Street in Chula Vista. The employee believed he would continue north or walk into the nearby shopping center but never saw him after that. The independent living facility contacted the Chula Vista Police Department for assistance.

Chula Vista and National City officers responded to the area and conducted an extensive search. They tried several ways to track Loren with his family's help but were unable to locate him. There have been no validated sightings of Loren since he went missing on Sunday.

Loren is considered at risk for a combination of reasons including medical conditions that require medication and a unique developmental disability, classified as an eating disorder, called Prader Willi Syndrome. The latter causes him to eat uncontrollably and with little regard for his health. In the past, Loren has been found eating out of dumpsters and accessible waste bins. (*Media, please contact Laura Cornish for more information on her brother's medical condition*). He is described as a White male, age 51, 5'4", 200 pounds, gray hair, and green eyes. He was last seen wearing a striped t-shirt with red suspenders, black shorts, gray and white sneakers with neon orange laces, and black prescription glasses.

Loren's family, The Arc of San Diego, and The Chula Vista Police Department are asking for the public's help in finding Loren. Loren has used public transportation in the past, including train service to Los Angeles. He might try obtaining food from restaurants or their attached dumpster areas. If you see Loren or have additional information that would help locate him, please contact the Chula Vista Police Department immediately at (619) 691-5151, or 9-1-1 if appropriate.

MEDIA: Loren's sister, Laura Cornish, is available for inquiries and interviews at (805)479-9357.



****After hour inquiries should be directed to the Watch Commander at (619)476-5374***

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