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## **Deputies Identify Man Struck by Train**

**Town of Salina, New York** – The Onondaga County Sheriff's Office continues to investigate the accident involving a CSX train and a pedestrian that occurred near the 7<sup>th</sup> North Street overpass this morning in the Town of Salina.

Today at approximately 12:46 am, Sheriff's Deputies along with rescue personnel, responded to the railroad overpass on 7<sup>th</sup> North Street after two CSX train employees operating a train northbound discovered what appeared to be a body of a male on the ground near the tracks.

Emergency crews arrived on scene and located the male victim, who was unconscious with life-threatening injuries. Deputies say the victim, identified as 29 year old Christopher Dell of Westcott Street, Syracuse, appeared to have been struck by a train as he walked near the tracks.

Dell was transported to Upstate University Hospital where he is currently listed in critical but stable condition in the intensive care unit.

The CSX tracks were shut down for several hours as Deputies processed the scene. Detectives assigned to the Criminal Investigations Division along with the Accident Investigation Team continue to investigate the incident.

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