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**FROM/DE:** ORILLIA OPP DETACHMENT

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### **MALE SERIOUSLY INJURED BY BEAR (UPDATE)**

**(SEVERN TOWNSHIP, ON.)** – The male victim of the attack has been identified as Gerald MAROIS, a 47 year old resident of Tay Township.

He is in serious condition at Sunnybrook Hospital in Toronto.

The bear has not been located at this point.

Residents of the Upper Big Chute Road and Kinnear Side Road area in Severn Township are asked to call 911 immediately if a black bear is seen in this area.

Police are also requesting residents who live in the area to keep any pets indoors and to exercise extreme caution until this bear is located or successfully trapped by officials from the MNR.

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