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Update: Body Found in La Mesa Identified as Missing El Cajon Juvenile

Last week, we met with the family of Cassidy Hopwood, the missing juvenile from El Cajon who was found deceased in La Mesa earlier this year. It was our honor to spend some time with Cassidy's family and to learn additional information that may assist us in determining the circumstances leading up to her death. The La Mesa Police Department remains dedicated to seeking answers for Cassidy, her family, and her friends.

The La Mesa Police Department is asking for the public's assistance in this case as they continue their investigation.

With her family's permission, we are sharing this photo of Cassidy, and asking that anyone who has any information, please call the La Mesa Police Department at (619) 667-1400. You may also call Crime Stoppers' anonymous toll-free tip line (888) 580-TIPS (or www.sdcrimestoppers.com). You can remain anonymous, and be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to an arrest in this case.

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