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It is with great sadness that this office has to announce the untimely death of Humboldt County District Attorney Investigator Benjamin (Ben) Nord, on June 7, 2009, while on vacation in Trinity County. An autopsy is scheduled to take place at the Shasta County Coroners' Office on July 8, 2009.

Investigator Nord started his Humboldt County Law Enforcement career at the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office in February 1999. He transferred to the Humboldt County District Attorney's Office as an Investigator in November 2008. He is immediately survived by his wife, Heather, and their two daughters, Emily (age 4) and Kaelly (age 7).

Memorial services are being coordinated by District Attorney Chief Investigator Michael Hislop and the Nord Family. Information about the service will be forthcoming.

Investigator Nord was a great Deputy, Investigator, friend, husband and father. Ben touched the lives of many Humboldt County residents and he will be greatly missed.

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