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## **UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, VA (August 8, 2018) Navy EOD personnel arrived on the scene and have secured the ordinance. Armstead Road is expected to reopen shortly.

### **SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE AND SUFFOLK POLICE RESPOND TO REPORT OF UNEXPLODED ORDINANCE**

SUFFOLK, VA (August 8, 2018) Suffolk Fire & Rescue and Suffolk Police are on the scene of an incident where an unexploded ordinance was found in the 6900 block of Armstead Road this morning, Wednesday, August 8, 2018. Suffolk Emergency Communications received a call at 10:16 a.m. noting that a shell was found by a crew working in the area.

The area has been secured and Armstead Road is closed at this time. U.S. Navy Explosive Ordnance Disposal personnel are in route to the location to remove the item.

Battalion 2, Engine 25 and Suffolk Police units responded to the scene.

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