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Police call off search for missing man

The Joplin Police Department received a report of a missing and possibly endangered person early this afternoon. Danny J Long, age 49, was last seen in the area of Glendale and Jackson between noon and 3:00PM. Long was walking east along Shoal Creek towards Wildcat Park.

Family members wee concerned about his well being. The Joplin Police Department, along with Newton County search and rescue officials, had been searching the wooded areas and creek since receiving the call shortly after 3:00 PM.

Police called off the search last night after Long had placed a phone call to a family member, who in turn notified the Police Department. The call was received some time around 8:00 PM.

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