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Lufkin man missing after bow-fishing tour found dead in Val Verde County



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DEL RIO, Texas (KTRE) - A Lufkin man reported missing on Feb. 3 after a boating accident was found dead in Del Rio Wednesday.

Richard "Mann" Babb, 42, was giving a bow-fishing tour to two passengers when his boat struck Lake Amistad Dam in the Rio Grande, according to Texas EquuSearch, and was last seen in distress by the recovered passengers. According to Val Verde County Sheriff Joe Martinez, Babb's body was recovered from the river about 1.5 miles from the International Bridge around 9:30 a.m.



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