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ISPD Assists Flight for Life to Safely Land on Baseball Field

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On September 9th, 2022, at approximately 12:45 pm, the Idaho Springs Police Department assisted in safely landing a Flight for Life helicopter on the Clear Creek Recreational District, Shelly Quinn Baseball Fields (west field) within the City of Idaho Springs. A critical patient was being transported from Summit County to a Denver area hospital. The adverse weather in the Denver area made it impossible for the helicopter to transport the patient to Denver via helicopter. After successfully landing in Idaho Springs, the patient was transferred to an awaiting ambulance for the final journey to Denver. ISPD and the Clear Creek County Sheriff's Department assisted in ensuring the landing area was safe and secure. The deputy provided landing site updates and information directly to the pilot as the Flight for Life helicopter landed. The patient was successfully transferred to an awaiting ambulance and taken to a Denver area hospital. The teamwork and coordination displayed by emergency services personnel was exemplary.



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