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Contact: Lindsey Morrissey - FAA Aviation Safety Inspector

The following is a summary of phone conversations between the NTSB IIC and the FAA inspector regarding the exhaust muffler and tailpipe assembly of N453TS.

The FAA inspector noted that on her first day at the scene, she did not observe the exhaust muffler or tailpipe assembly near the aircraft. She returned to the accident site on 06/27/2024 with the pilot. The inspector searched the immediate area around the accident site and expanded past the caution tape placed by first responders; she reported that there were no signs of the muffler and tailpipe assembly.

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