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Suspicious Death and Fire Investigation

On September 23, 2026, at approximately 10:11 p.m., the Citrus Heights Police Department and Sacramento Metro Fire Department responded to a residential structure fire in the 6200 block of Plymouth Rock Lane in Citrus Heights, CA. The Sacramento Metro Fire Investigation Team was called to investigate the incident and to determine the fire's origin and cause.

On September 25, 2026, at 10:00 a.m., the scene was safe to enter, and Citrus Heights Police detectives returned to conduct follow-up. Detectives located the remains of a deceased male under heavy debris from the collapsed roof.

Crime Scene Investigators with the Citrus Heights Police Department, Sacramento Metro Fire Investigation Team, and the Sacramento County Coroner's Office responded to the scene to assist with the investigation. The cause of death is currently under investigation and pending the results of an autopsy. The identity of the deceased male will be released by the coroner's office.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call the Citrus Heights Police Department at (916) 727-5500.

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