



# Winnebago County Sheriff's Department



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## News Release

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### **Winnebago County Sheriff's Department Conducts Fatal Accident Investigation**

On May 26, 2021 at approximately 9:50pm, Winnebago County Sheriff's Deputies responded to the 5900 Block of Kilburn Road for a possible house fire. Upon arrival deputies located a single vehicle, occupied by a lone male, had struck a residence and natural gas meter. During the preliminary investigation, deputies determined that the vehicle was southbound on Tate Road when it left the road, went airborne and struck the residence. Northwest Fire Department arrived and pronounced the driver deceased. Although the residence sustained significant damage, none of the three occupants inside the home at the time was injured.

The Winnebago County Sheriff's Department is conducting an investigation. No further details are available at this time.

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