Fire Fatality in Southern Bexar County

On March 9, 2022, at approximately 11:00 p.m. Bexar County Fire Dispatch received a 9-1-1 call about a travel trailer on fire in the 23200 block of U.S. Highway 281 South. Units from Bexar County Emergency Services District 2 arrived on scene and found the trailer had already collapsed as a result of the fire.

The original 9-1-1 caller said that his brother lived in the travel trailer and he was unable to get ahold of him. Once the fire was contained, firefighters found a body inside the collapsed structure. The Bexar County Medical Examiner’s Office took custody of the remains of the adult male victim for identification.

Investigators with the Bexar County Fire Marshal’s Office responded to the scene. Initial observations revealed several safety issues in and around the property, including several inoperable vehicles impeding firefighter’s approach.

The investigation is ongoing.

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