LANE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

NEWS RELEASE



CASE NUMBER: 20-0626

DATE/ TIME OF INCIDENT: 1/26/2020 9:51 a.m.

DATE/ TIME OF RELEASE: 1/27/2020 4:55 p.m.

NATURE OF STORY: Sheriff's Office Investigating Death at Terwilliger Hot Springs

DETAILS:

On January 26, 2020 at approximately 9:50 a.m., the Lane County Sheriff's Office received a report of a deceased female at Terwilliger Hot Springs off Forest Service Road 19 in eastern Lane County. Investigation indicates that a 25 year old female from Florence had been at the hot springs with two friends when she experienced a medical event. Lifesaving efforts were initiated by bystanders and taken over by Upper McKenzie Rural Fire Protection District personnel before the woman was pronounced deceased.

The Lane County Sheriff's Office and the Lane County Medical Examiner's Office are investigating the death. The Lane County Medical Examiner's Office has not yet determined cause and manner of death.

The identity of the female will be released after family has been able to make notifications, and they have asked for privacy as they grieve. No other information is available at this time.