



# News Release

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**Headline:** Structure Fire Claims 2 Lives in East Olympia

**Details:** On Sunday, February 9, 2020, at approximately 8:30pm, TCSO and East Olympia Fire Department (EOFD) responded to reports of a mobile home on fire in the 3500 block of 83<sup>rd</sup> Ave SE in East Olympia. EOFD recovered 2 people from inside of the home as they worked to extinguish the fire. Both victims were confirmed to be deceased at the location. The victims were a 79 year old male and a 59 year old female, who were related, and resided at the residence. TCSO detectives and fire investigators were at the scene overnight and will return to the scene this morning to continue the investigation. At this time the cause of the fire has not been determined. The victims' cause of death will be determined by the TC Coroner's Office who also responded to the location.