



## Office of Ross County Sheriff

**GEORGE W. LAVENDER, JR., SHERIFF**

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## News Release

05/30/2014

**Sheriff Lavender reports that his office was dispatched to the 1100 block of Spud Run Road in reference to a house fire shortly after 3:00 a.m. Deputies arrived on the scene and found the house fully engulfed.**

**Several area fire departments were dispatched to put out the fire.**

**A body was discovered inside the house and was sent to the Montgomery County Coroner's Office for autopsy and identification.**

**The Ross County Coroner was called to the scene as well as the State Fire Marshall's Office.**

**At the time of this release investigators were still at the scene. Further details will be released as they become available.**