

# News Release



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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### House Fire in Point of Rocks with One Fatality

**(Point of Rocks, June 14, 2023)** – At approximately 4:28am today the Frederick County Emergency Communications Center received multiple calls with reports of a house fire with possible entrapment in the 1700 block of Brookshire Run in Point of Rocks. Within minutes units from Frederick County Fire and Rescue and Loudoun County Fire and Rescue arrived on scene to find fire showing throughout a two-story single-family home. A neighboring resident informed crews that they believed the single resident was home and had not been seen evacuating the residence. A Rapid Intervention Dispatch was quickly requested as crews began to attack the fire from the exterior. The fire progressed rapidly causing the roof and floor to collapse. It took an estimated 60 firefighters around forty-five minutes to control the fire and make access into the home. Upon entry, one adult male was located, deceased.

There was no damage to any other structures and no other injuries. The Frederick County Fire Marshal's Office and the Frederick County Sheriff's Office will remain on location for an extended period of time as they investigate.

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