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Fatal Bedroom Fire Claims Life of Bay City Resident

November 6, 2025 — A tragic bedroom fire on the evening of November 5 claimed the life of an 80-year-old man. At approximately 11:33 PM, the Bay City Volunteer Fire Department, Bay City Police Department, and Bay City Fire Marshal's Office responded to a report of a fire at 2305 Horn Rd.

The fire was discovered by a female resident who found her father in his bedroom with the bed still smoldering. While the man did not suffer burns, authorities suspect he succumbed to smoke inhalation.

Firefighters quickly arrived at the scene and were able to extinguish the fire, which had been contained to the bed area. Despite their efforts, the elderly resident was found deceased in the bedroom. Justice of the Peace Sullivan responded to the scene and has ordered an autopsy to determine the exact cause of death.

The total loss from the fire is estimated at \$15,000. The Bay City Fire Marshal's Office is actively investigating the cause of the fire, and further details will be released as the investigation progresses.

