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PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
November 20, 2022

<u>Nature of Release:</u> Residential Structure Fire	<u>Date/Time of Incident:</u> November 18, 2022 Approximately 8:20 PM
<u>Incident Location:</u> 168 Espey Road East Huntingdon Township	
<u>Decedent:</u> Nancy Wright (Hoover), 83 y/o female <u>Address:</u> Same as incident location <u>Date and Time of Death:</u> November 18, 2022, at 10:42 PM <u>Cause of Death:</u> Pending <u>Manner of Death:</u> Pending	<u>Decedent:</u> Ernest Elmer Wright, Sr., 87 y/o male <u>Address:</u> Same as incident location <u>Date and Time of Death:</u> November 18, 2022, at 10:52 PM <u>Cause of Death:</u> Pending <u>Manner of Death:</u> Pending
<u>Incident Details:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Westmoreland County Coroner, Timothy Carson, has released the following information on a residential structure fire in East Huntingdon Township.▪ Witnesses contacted 911, due to a residential structure fire.▪ Firefighters arrived on scene finding the residence to be fully involved.▪ The decedents were discovered deceased, due to injuries sustained in the fire.▪ Deputy Coroner Russell A. Morgan pronounced both decedents dead at the scene.▪ Autopsies were performed with Dr. Cyril H. Wecht and Pathology Associates on November 20, 2022.▪ Cause and manner of death will be pending autopsy results, toxicology results, and further investigation into the cause of the fire.▪ Toxicology results will not be available for several weeks.▪ The Pennsylvania State Police Fire Marshal is investigating.	
****<u>No further information is available at this time</u>****	