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**PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
December 29th, 2022**

<u>Nature of Release:</u> Residential Structure Fire	<u>Date and Time of Incident:</u> December 29, 2022 Approximately 07:03 PM
<u>Incident Location:</u>	410 North Water Street, Apartment 11H West Newton Borough Filbern Manor
<u>Person(s) Involved:</u> Decedent: Joyce A. Marinos Address: Same as Incident Location Date and Time of Death: December 29, 2022 at 9:40 PM	
<u>Incident Details:</u> Cause of Death: Pending Manner of Death: Pending <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Westmoreland County Coroner, Timothy Carson, has released the following information on a residential structure fire▪ An automatic fire alarm was triggered by the fire. It then updated that smoke was in the structure. 911 was called for assistance.▪ Firefighters extinguished the fire and located the decedent inside.▪ Deputy Coroner Cara L. Shaffer pronounced the decedent dead at the scene.▪ An autopsy will be performed by Dr. Cyril H. Wecht and Pathology Associates on December 30, 2022.▪ Cause and manner of death will be pending autopsy and toxicology results.▪ Toxicology results will not be available for several weeks.▪ A funeral home has not been chosen at this time.▪ The Pennsylvania State Police Fire Marshal is also investigating.	

******No further information is available at this time******