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On Monday, May 8, 2006 at approximately 7:09 PM, the North Fond du Lac Police, Fire and EMS were dispatched to a duplex at 207 Blackbird Street in the Village of North Fond du Lac for a report of smoke coming from the structure and possibly a disabled person inside.

Responding units observed heavy smoke and flames coming from the structure. Fire fighters located an elderly female who was pronounced dead at the scene. Her name is being withheld pending notification of family members. One cat was also found dead and second is still unaccounted for. The fire was primarily limited to one half of the duplex and sustained heavy smoke and fire damage.

At this time, the incident is still under investigation. Further information will be released when it becomes available.