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## **LCSO Investigating Inmate Death**

On Friday, January 17, a 36-year-old male inmate was found unresponsive in his cell at the Leon County Detention Facility. The inmate had been booked into the facility on May 30, 2024, after being arrested on a charge of VOP/Arson of Vehicle. No foul play is suspected.

The inmate was transported to a local hospital where he was later pronounced deceased at approximately 9:15 PM.

The Sheriff's Office is following standard protocol for an in-custody death by investigating. The Medical Examiner's Office will conduct an autopsy to determine cause and manner of death.





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