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LCSO Mourns the Death of One of Our Own

The Leon County Sheriff's Office is deeply saddened to announce the off-duty death of one of our own. On March 14, 2021, Deputy Dillon Smith was found deceased inside his home. No foul play is suspected, and this active investigation is being conducted by LCSO.

Deputy Smith was assigned to the Uniform Patrol division and was a three-year veteran of the agency. The Leon County Sheriff's Office's thoughts and prayers are with his family, friends, and fellow deputies.

Grief counselors are on site at LCSO to assist agency members. We ask that his family, and other LCSO members' privacy be respected during this difficult time.



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