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Vermilion Parish Couple Dies in Morning Fire

VERMILION PARISH- State Fire Marshal deputies are investigating a South Louisiana fire that killed a Vermilion Parish couple.

Around 5 a.m. on Monday, June 2, 2025, Indian Bayou Volunteer Fire Department responded to a fire in the 16000 block of Tan Road in Kaplan. An 80-year-old man and his 78-year-old wife died in the blaze.

The cause of the fire is unknown at this time. It is also unknown whether the home had a smoke alarm.

Smoke alarms are proven to save lives. If you need assistance obtaining smoke alarms for your home, Operation Save-A-Life can help. To learn more about Operation Save-A-Life, or to register for a free smoke alarm installation, visit our website at <u>lasfm.org</u> or contact your local fire department to request a free smoke alarm installation.

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