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### West Monroe Man Dies in Mobile Home Fire

**OUACHITA PARISH (July 25, 2025)** - State Fire Marshal (SFM) deputies are investigating a mobile home fire that claimed the life of a 63-year-old Northeast Louisiana man early Thursday morning.

The Ouachita Fire Department responded to the fire shortly before 3:30 a.m., Thursday, July 24, 2025, located in the 4500 block of Jonesboro Road in West Monroe. SFM investigators have determined the home had a non-working smoke alarm.

At this time, the cause of the fire is still under investigation.

DPS Principal Assistant Chief Bryan J. Adams encourages all Louisiana residents to ensure their homes are protected with smoke alarms. If you do not have one or need help installing one, the Department's Operation Save-A-Life program provides free smoke alarms and installation.

Visit [lasfm.org](http://lasfm.org) to learn more or contact your local fire department to request a free smoke alarm and installation.

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