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In-Custody Death of Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office Resident

(CHARLOTTE, NC) – The Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) is currently investigating the death of 42-year-old male resident, Renny Mobley (PID 232455), who was housed at the Mecklenburg County Detention Center-Central (801 E. Fourth Street).

On Wednesday, March 27, 2024, at approximately 4:56 am, a medical emergency was called by a detention officer in the housing unit where Mr. Mobley was assigned after he was discovered to be unresponsive. Lifesaving measures were administered and continued until emergency medical personnel arrived. At approximately 5:12 am, the Charlotte Fire Department arrived along with Mecklenburg EMS (MEDIC) at 5:19 am and continued lifesaving efforts as they transported Mr. Mobley to Atrium Main, where he was pronounced deceased at approximately 5:18 pm.

Requests for Mr. Mobley's health information may not be disclosed as it is protected by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

Sheriff McFadden: *"It is with a heavy heart that I must share the news of the passing of Mr. Mobley, a resident within our facility. This loss is a somber reminder of the fragility of life. We recognize that Mr. Mobley had loved ones outside these walls, and our deepest sympathies go out to his family and friends during this difficult time. May they find comfort and strength in the memories they hold dear."*

The State Bureau of Investigation (SBI) will conduct a thorough in-custody death investigation as the medical examiner determines the cause of death.

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