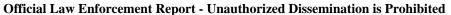


INCIDENT REPORT



BATS ID: 1552459

Incident Type: Fire

Agency Incident ID: NDSFM25-032

Investigation Title: Des Lacs LNU Fire



Incident Date/Time/Location

Jurisdiction Status

Investigation Closed Primary

Start Date/Time

4/10/2025 00:00 Thursday

Address

3002 212th St

City/State/Zip County

Des Lacs, ND 58733 Ward County

Investigator Information

Name **Phone Email**

Jessica Sinerius 701-220-2762 jsinerius@nd.gov

Title

Deputy State Fire Marshal

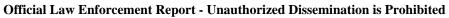
Property Use or Target Information

Type Subtype Status

Outside/Special Properties Open Land/Field Occupied And Operating

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Scene Details

Miscellaneous Information

Latitude Longitude

48.268503 -101.620544

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CUEAT SEA

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Person/Organization Information

Name

VERBITSKY-COULTER, DIANE

DOB

1979

Race

Ethnicity

Age at time of Incident

46

Juvenile

No

Address Information

Street Address

3002 212th St NW

City/State/Zip County
Des Lacs, ND 58733 Ward

Contact Information

Primary Phone

701-720-8760

COPAT SEA

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Agency Incident ID:

NDSFM25-032

BATS ID: 1552459



Investigation Title: Des Lacs LNU Fire

Attachments

Filename Description Date

NDSFM25-032-1 DES LACS LNU FIRE-TIP.pdf

4/22/2025

No image specified

CHAT SEA

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INCIDENT REPORT

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Investigation Title: Des Lacs LNU Fire



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Investigator/Agent - Sinerius, Jessica	Date
Approving Official	Date



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SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT NARRATIVE

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Investigation Title: DES LACS LNU FIRE



Lead Fire/Explosion Origin and Cause Investigator:			
Name	Agency	Case Reference if Available	
Fire Chief Kelly Grotte	Des Lacs Fire Protection District	2025-0410	

Fatalities/Injuries:		
Name	Fatality/Injury:	Notes/Other Information:
		No injuries or fatalities were reported
		to the North Dakota State Fire
		Marshal's Office.

Reason For Supplemental Report:

On April 11, 2025, at approximately 9:00 AM, I, Deputy State Fire Marshal Jess Sinerius, was contacted by Fire Chief Kelly Grotte regarding a wildfire that occurred on April 10, 2025. The fire was reported to be at 3002 212th St. NW, Des Lacs, ND.

This report was to document the fire occurrence. No response from the North Dakota State Fire Marshal's Office was requested.

Remarks:

Chief Grotte reported that the Des Lacs Fire Protection District was dispatched to a grass fire approximately three miles west of Des Lacs. The farmstead had several vehicles, miscellaneous stored items, and several deteriorated outbuildings. Most of the vehicles and outbuildings were impacted. The fire spread from the farmstead into farmland but was stopped at a slough. The Des Lacs Fire Protection District extinguished the fire.

It was reported that individuals were seen on the farmstead removing items from an outbuilding after the fire was noticed. It was later confirmed that the property tenants were removing items to save them from the fire.

No further assistance was requested from the Des Lacs Fire Protection District.