

# JOPLIN

# **POLICE**

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Matt Stewart  
Chief of Police

**Date:** April 5, 2016  
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## **NEWS RELEASE**

The Joplin Police Department responded to 114 ½ S. Pearl Ave. in reference to a check well-being. We are in the preliminary stages of a death investigation.

We will hold the scene until after the autopsy which is scheduled 4/6/2016 at 1100 hours at Frontier Forensics in Kansas City, Mo.

The identity of the deceased is not being released pending the notification of family.

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