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PRESS RELEASE

On May 4, 2025, at approximately 12:12 pm, the Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office responded to a grass fire in the 6400 block of Wetherbee Rd, Crow Wing Township, Crow Wing County. It was reported to the Sheriff's Office that a field was on fire near a residence, with a victim possibly being deceased. Upon arrival, Deputies located the homeowner, a 65-year-old Brainerd woman, deceased near a lawn mower. The Brainerd Fire Department and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources extinguished the fire. The name of the victim is being withheld pending the notification of family. No structures were burned in the fire. The fire is currently under investigation by the Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office, the Minnesota State Fire Marshal's Office, and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

The Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office was assisted by the Brainerd Fire Department, North Memorial Ambulance, Lakes Area Rescue, the Minnesota State Fire Marshal's Office, and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.