



# CITY OF FORT WAYNE

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE MEDIA FACT SHEET**

**Date:** April 28, 2026

**Location:** 7900 Decatur Road, Fort Wayne, Indiana

**Time:** 1520 hours

**Details/Summary:**

On April 27, 2026, at approximately 1459 hours, Officers with the Fort Wayne Police Department responded to the 7900 block of Decatur Road in reference to a disturbance. Officers arrived and located a deceased adult female victim. Detectives with the FWPD Homicide Unit responded and conducted a criminal investigation.

After a thorough investigation, FWPD Homicide Detectives identified Kevin Smith, 23 years old, as a suspect in the investigation. The suspect was apprehended at the time of the initial response from law enforcement. Smith was preliminarily charged with Murder.

**Suspect Arrested #1:** Kevin Smith, 23, Detroit

**Preliminary Charges:** Murder

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