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Death Investigation

COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS – On August 9, 2023, at approximately 2:03 A.M., Copperas Cove Police Officers responded to a residence in the 700 block of South Main Street in reference to a shooting.

When officers arrived, they discovered an unresponsive male with a gunshot wound. Coryell County Justice of the Peace John Guinn was notified and he pronounced the male deceased. The victim was identified as 37-year-old, Richard Jerome Powers.

The incident was isolated and continues to be investigated by the Criminal Investigations Division. There is no threat to the public.

