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Sheriff's Office EOD Unit Responds to Pipe Bomb Call in Franklin



Milwaukee, WI – The Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office Explosive Ordnance Disposal Unit (EOD) was called to a residence in Franklin at 2:00 a.m. today by the Franklin Police Department.

Franklin police officers found what appeared to be a pipe bomb in a closet and secured the area. The Sheriff's EOD Unit responded and confirmed that the 6-8 inch pipe was a live, electronic explosive device, crimped at both ends, containing explosive powder. The Sheriff's EOD technicians removed the device from the residence and rendered it safe with multiple explosive charges at a remote location using standard EOD procedures.

The Franklin Police Department is conducting further investigation.

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