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Fifth Wheel Trailer Explosion

On December 18, 2017, at approximately 08:11pm, the Weld County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to a report of an explosion at the 7800 block of WCR 21, near Frederick, Colorado.

When deputies arrived on scene, they learned that a Fifth Wheel Trailer had exploded and was fully engulfed in flames and the cause of the explosion is unknown at this time. Preliminary information suggests that this explosion was not on a gas or oil site. One 20-year-old male and one 70-year-old male were transported to a nearby hospital. Both parties are in stable conditions and are being treated for injuries that are unknown at this time.

This is an active incident, and information is limited. More information will be released as it becomes available.

Anyone with information regarding this or any other crime is asked to call the Weld County Sheriff's Office at 970-356-4015 or Northern Colorado Crime Stoppers at **1-800-222-TIPS (8477)** or **1-800-444-3776**. **Tips can also be submitted through the Crime Stoppers website at www.crimeshurt.com. Those submitting tips through Crime Stoppers that lead to the arrest and filing of charges on a suspect(s) may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$2,000 from Crime Stoppers.**

Steve Reams – Sheriff