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A man died after being transported to the hospital from a house fire north of Decatur Saturday morning.

Dan Sales, 65, of Deca-

tur was pronounced dead at Wise Health System.

Decatur firefighters responded to the fire just after 8 a.m. on County Road 1260. The fire was out when firefighters arrived.

"The homeowner's son

put out the fire," said Decatur Fire Chief Nate Mara.

Decatur Police officers and Wise County Sheriff's Office deputies arrived prior to firefighters and reported an

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HOUSE FIRE — Emergency responders responded to a house fire on County Road 1260 near Decatur Saturday. One man died in the blaze.

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