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Glendale Police Investigate Fatal House Fire

Glendale, Ariz. – On April 5, 2017, at 1:20 AM, Glendale Police and the Glendale Fire Department responded to a house fire in the area of 5200 W. Mercer. They arrived to find the home fully engulfed in flames. After the fire department was able to put out the fire, they found four deceased subjects inside the home.

Two were found in the front of the home and two were found in the rear of the home. The victims appear to be an adult female and three juveniles, two males and a female. The female is believed to be home owner, 41 year old, Heather Johnson. Confirmed identity will not be available until after the medical examiner report has been completed. The names of the three juveniles will not be released after they have been confirmed.

It appears the fire started towards the rear of the home. At this time, nothing appears to be suspicious and the investigation is on-going. It does not appear that anyone else who lived at the residence is missing.

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**Spanish translation available*

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