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**MEDIA RELEASE**

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**NWT Coroner Service is investigating a plane crash near Fort Smith**

The NWT Coroner Service has dispatched a team to Fort Smith who will be working with our investigative partners, the RCMP and the Transportation Safety Board. At this time, we can confirm there are fatalities but we will not be providing any additional information pending next of kin notifications.

The Coroner Service expresses our condolences to their families and friends.

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