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CCSO investigating fatal shooting in Buck Hall community of McClellanville

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Sunday, May 17, 2026

NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C. – Detectives with the Charleston County Sheriff's Office are investigating a fatal shooting that occurred on Saturday, May 16, 2026, in the Buck Hall community of McClellanville.

Deputies with the Charleston County Sheriff's Office responded just after 10 p.m. to the 8600 block of North Highway 17 for reports of a shooting. Upon arrival, deputies located the victim with apparent gunshot wounds. Charleston County EMS also responded and pronounced the victim deceased on scene. Deputies located and arrested a suspect in the case.

The CCSO Forensic Services Unit and the Criminal Investigations Division responded to the scene. The Charleston County Coroner's Office also responded and will provide the victim's identity when appropriate.

This remains an active and ongoing investigation. Anyone with additional information about this incident is asked to contact the Charleston County Sheriff's Office at (843) 202-1700 or Detective Cosimo Zappoli directly at 843-529-6207 or via email at CZappoli@charlestoncounty.org.

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