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UPDATE: Statewide Silver Alert for Pratt man is canceled

PRATT COUNTY – The Pratt Police Department reported that 68-year-old Kenneth Gatlin was located deceased on the afternoon of Monday, April 12.

Mr. Gatlin was discovered today in rural Pratt County, northwest of Pratt, at approximately 12:30 p.m. He was found when a landowner contacted the Pratt County Sheriff's Office.

There was no indication of foul play, but an autopsy will be conducted.

We extend our condolences to Mr. Gatlin's family and friends. The statewide silver alert is now canceled.

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EARLIER MEDIA RELEASE April 8, 2021 Contact: Melissa Underwood (785) 296-8283

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Statewide Silver Alert issued for missing Pratt man

PRATT COUNTY – The Pratt Police Department requested that the Kansas Bureau of Investigation (KBI) issue a statewide Silver Alert for a man missing from Pratt, Kan.

The whereabouts of 68-year-old Kenneth E. Gatlin are unknown, and the public's assistance is requested to help locate him.

Gatlin was last seen at approximately 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 8, when it is believed he walked away from his care facility in Pratt. He was wearing a red and white jacket, khaki pants, cowboy boots, and a red hat.

Gatlin is a white male, approximately 5 ft.10 in. tall, weighing 190 lbs. He has blue eyes and red hair. Gatlin suffers from dementia, and has difficulty communicating with others.

If you see Kenneth Gatlin, or know his whereabouts, please immediately contact the Pratt Police Department at 620-672-5551, or call 911.



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