



Police Seek Witness to Van Fire

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Investigators with the Boulder Fire Department are seeking information about a man who might have witnessed a fatal vehicle fire in the 2700 block of Glenwood Drive about 5:40 a.m. Saturday.

When firefighters first attacked the blaze in the parked van, they were unaware someone was inside. But they eventually found a man in the back, who was pronounced dead at the scene.

The Boulder County Coroner's Office has identified him as Robert Charles Szklankowski, 64, of Boulder. The cause and manner of his death are pending.

Officers said they believe a witness was in the area at the time of the fire, and they want to ask him what he saw, "and any other information he might have about the blaze," said Boulder police spokeswoman Sarah Huntley.

The witness is described as a white male in his mid-30s to early-40s with shoulder-length dark hair. He's thin and about 6-feet tall. He was last seen wearing a long-sleeve dark shirt and dark pants.

Investigators have determined the fire started in the van, but the blaze's cause is still under investigation.