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PRESS RELEASE

Inmate Death: Ruthann Helen Boone

February 22, 2024 (Anchorage): On February 22, 2024, Ruthann Helen Boone, 56, was pronounced dead at 0839 hours.

Boone was most recently housed at Hiland Mountain Correctional Center.

Boone was remanded to DOC on a bench warrant on February 21, 2024, and was convicted of Operating Under the Influence.

No foul play is suspected; however, the cause of death is only determined by the State Medical Examiner. Due to privacy, security, and HIPAA regulations, Alaska DOC cannot release confidential personal information, or medical information.

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