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IN CUSTODY DEATH INVESTIGATION

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Friday, June 20, 2025, at approximately 6:38 a.m., Riverside Police Officers responded to the McDonald's in the 7400 block of Indiana Avenue after employees called our Public Safety Communications Center about a man who had locked himself inside the restroom and was not responding. The business requested prosecution for trespassing, and when officers arrived, they had the man exit the restroom.

The man became combative and force was used to detain him. Medical aid responded, and while being treated by paramedics, he remained combative before going into medical distress. He was transported to a local hospital where medical staff provided treatment for over an hour. Despite their efforts, the man later died.

Investigators with the Riverside County Sheriff's Department Force Investigations Detail responded to the scene and assumed the investigation. They are being assisted by the Riverside County District Attorney's Bureau of Investigation, the Riverside County Sheriff-Coroner's Office, and the Riverside Police Department's Robbery-Homicide Unit and Forensics Unit. The man's identity is being withheld pending the completion of the Coroner's investigation.

This investigation is ongoing and no further details are available at this time. Anyone with additional information is urged to contact Riverside County Sheriff's Department Investigator Victor Magana at (951) 955-2777 or VMagana@RiversideSheriff.org, or Riverside Police Detective Richard Glover at (951) 353-7105 or RGlover@RiversideCA.gov. 4102 Orange Street, Riverside, CA 92501 | Phone: (951) 826-5700 | RiversideCA.gov

