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## **Statewide Silver Alert issued for Wichita man is canceled**

TOPEKA – We are sad to report that 74-year-old George Smith has been found deceased in Oklahoma. The Oklahoma Highway Patrol located Smith on July 5, after he was involved in a fatal crash. It took some time for authorities to positively identify him. The statewide silver alert is now canceled.

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## **Statewide Silver Alert issued for missing Wichita man**

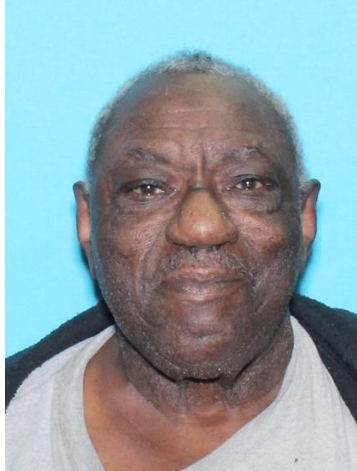
SEDGWICK COUNTY – The Wichita Police Department requested that the Kansas Bureau of Investigation (KBI) issue a statewide Silver Alert for a missing Wichita man.

The whereabouts of 74-year-old George C. Smith are unknown, and the public's assistance is requested to help locate him.

George is likely driving a black 2002 Ford F150 bearing Kansas tag 881PKK. He was last seen in the 7700 block of East Kellogg in Wichita, Friday June 30, at approximately 9:30 a.m. He may have traveled southbound on I-35 toward Oklahoma.

George is described as a black male who is 5 feet 5 inches tall and weighs around 175 pounds. He was last seen wearing a dark blue button-down shirt and blue shorts. George requires dialysis several times a week and missed his appointment. He is also diabetic and doesn't have necessary medication.

If you see George Smith or his vehicle, please call 911 immediately. If you have other information about his whereabouts, please call the Wichita Police Department at 316-268-4111.



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