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## **Press Release**

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The Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC) reports that on October 10, 2025, Offender Richard Shafer, 1089045, was pronounced dead at Carson Tahoe Regional Medical Center. Shafer, 51, was serving a sentence of 72 to 192 months at Northern Nevada Correctional Center for habitual criminal. He came to the NDOC on August 29, 2025, from Washoe County. An autopsy was requested per NRS 209.3815. Next-of-kin has been notified.



Richard A. Shafer