



Aviation Investigation Preliminary Report

Location:	LeRoy, KS	Accident Number:	CEN21LA187
Date & Time:	April 9, 2021, 10:12 Local	Registration:	N421PB
Aircraft:	Eurocopter EC120	Injuries:	2 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 91: General aviation - Personal		

Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

Aircraft Make:	Eurocopter	Registration:	N421PB
Model/Series:	EC120 B	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	Black Wolf Air, LLC	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	None
Operator Designator Code:			

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	UKL,1174 ft msl	Observation Time:	10:15 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	13.2 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	18°C /6°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Clear	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	/ ,
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	10 miles
Altimeter Setting:	29.7 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	None
Departure Point:	Topeka, KS (TOP)	Destination:	Claremore, OK (GCM)

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	2 None	Latitude, Longitude:	38.095955,-95.634504 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC): Fox, Andrew

Additional Participating Persons: John "Rusty" Knox; Federal Aviation Administration (Kansas City FSDO); Kansas City, MO
Seth D. Buttner; Airbus Helicopters North America; Grand Prairie, TX
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Investigation Class: [Class 3](#)

Note: The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.