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DOWNTOWN NIGHTMARE

CHICAGO

CHICAGO (FOXNEWS) Imagine being trapped inside an elevator for hours with only limited communication to the outside - more than a dozen people said they were stuck in that kind of nightmare at a downtown condo building overnight.

Rescue crews worked for three hours to free the individuals trapped in the elevator. One individual told Fox News that they had trouble contacting the elevator company to let them know they needed help.

The building at 60 E. Monroe housed a combination of businesses, condos, and office space.

Officials said the group was visiting one of the condos and when they began their descent, the elevator got stuck. It seems the weight of the group may have caused the elevator to malfunction.

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EVENT LOCATION

Thursday May 2nd
CEA Meeting
Trademark Lombard, IL

Wednesday June 26th
EESF Chicago Cruise
Summer of George Chicago, IL

Friday August 2nd
CEA Annual Golf Outing
Gleneagles Country Club

Thursday September 5th
CEA Meeting TBD Presenter

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NAEC Annual Convention TBD Presenter

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