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MEDIA RELEASE

Incident Number: 14-0003134

Information Contact: Jack Hansen, Battalion Chief

Incident Type: Residential Structure Fire

Date/Time of Incident: January 15, 2014, 3:18 PM

Incident Location: 100 Block E. Vince Street

Cause: Under Investigation

Injuries: None Reported

Number of Personnel: 25

Fire Equipment: 4 Engines, 1 Truck, 1 Light and Air Unit, 1 Investigator, 5 Command

Agencies Involved: Ventura City Fire Department, Ventura County Fire Department, Ventura Police Department, American Medical Resonse

Ventura City Fire Department responded to a reported structure fire. There were multiple citizen reports and smoke was visible for several miles. Upon arrival of the first engine, heavy smoke and flames were issuing from a multi-level, multi-unit property.

Firefighters mounted an aggressive attack on the involved structure, stopping the forward progress and extension of the fire into the adjacent units.

A separate property next door to the fire was threatened by the flames. Crews deployed hose lines to protect the adjacent structure and a valuable antique vehicle. One other vehicle sustained heat damage at that property.

Red Cross supplied emergency assistance for a displaced family of four. The cause of this fire is under investigation.

Ventura Police Department responded and conducted scene, traffic and crowd control.

There were no injuries reported to civilians or firefighters on this incident.

Due to HIPAA we are prevented from disclosing an individual's protected health information (PHI). We may not release information regarding patient's names, DOB, address, SS# or medical status.





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