

TC Heavy Rescue - Vehicle into Structure

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Incident Number: 16-0046006

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Incident Type: TC Heavy Rescue - Vehicle into structure

Date/Time of Incident: June 20th, 2016, 7:39 PM

Incident Location: 0 block of Estates Ave, Ventura, CA

Cause: Under Investigation

Injuries: 2 adult victims with moderate injuries

Fire Equipment: 2 ALS Engine Companies, 1 ALS Truck Company, 1 Command

Total Fire Personnel: 11

Agencies Involved: Ventura City Fire Department, Ventura Police Department, American Medical Response

Narrative: Ventura City Fire personnel responded to a report of a two vehicle traffic collision with one person trapped. The first arriving engine company found one heavily damaged vehicle in the intersection, and a full size pickup truck buried into a nearby residential attached garage, one victim still inside. The driver of the first vehicle in the intersection was treated at the scene and transported to a local hospital. The driver of the second vehicle required minor extrication, by removing debris and using basic tools, then was also transported. Wood shoring was placed by the truck company to support the damaged load-bearing walls of the structure until further inspection by Building & Safety could be completed. No other injuries were reported at the time of this release.

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