

CITY OF VENTURA

FIRE DEPARTMENT

MEDIA RELEASE

Date: May 5, 2018
Incident Number: 18-0035087
Information Contact: Jack Hansen, Battalion Chief
Incident Type: Structure Fire with Injury
Date/Time of Incident: May 5, 2018 @ 5:18PM
Incident Location: 10900 Block Del Norte Dr.
Cause: Cooking
Injuries: Moderate
Number of Personnel: 5 Fire Department Personnel
Fire Equipment: 1 Engine, 1 Command, 1 Investigator
Agencies Involved: Ventura City Fire Department, AMR

Narrative: Ventura City Fire Department responded to a reported injury from an explosion. Upon arrival of the first due engine, firefighters discovered that there had been a structure fire in the kitchen area of a 2 story apartment. The resident was cooking when grease ignited. The resident attempted to extinguish the fire using a towel which distributed the burning oil into the kitchen area. The resident was injured; crews treated the injury on scene.

The scene was checked for extension of the fire with none identified.

(Photos on following pages)



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