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December 23, 2022 For Immediate Release Incident No. 22-9499 **CONTACT**: Battalion Chief

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Date/Time of Occurrence: December 23, 2022 – 07:16 p.m.

Type of Incident: Residential Structure Fire

Location: 300 block of Montrose Dr, Folsom

RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE

FOLSOM, CA- Firefighters from the Folsom Fire Department responded to reports of a garage fire in a residential home located on Montrose Drive in Folsom, Ca. A total of four engine companies, two truck companies, one paramedic ambulance, and two chief officers were dispatched to the scene. While units were enroute, Folsom Police officers on scene confirmed that there was a working fire.

Firefighters arrived at the dispatch address to find a working fire in a garage attached to a residential duplex. The crews quickly attacked the fire with hose streams while simultaneously checking the primary fire unit and the exposure fire unit for victims. A search for victims was completed in both units and the fire was extinguished within 7 minutes. The fire was limited to the garage and did not spread to the living spaces. Salvage and overhaul operations were conducted to save personal property.

A total of 6 people were displaced. The cause of the fire is currently under investigation by the Folsom Fire Department Investigation Unit. No injuries were reported.

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Response Facts:

First in District: 38

First in Company: Engine 38

Battalion: 15

Incident Commander: Battalion Chief W. Nick Lawlor

Cause: Under Investigation

Total Engine Companies4Total Truck Companies2Total Medic Units1

Other Resources El Dorado Hills Fire Dept., PG&E, SMUD

Total Command/Support Staff 2

Total Companies 7

Total Fire Fighters 24