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January 29, 2024
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Incident No. 24-0687

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Date/Time of Occurrence: January 29, 2024, – 04:55 a.m.
Type of Incident: Residential Structure Fire
Location: Livermore Way, Folsom

RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE

FOLSOM, CA - The Folsom Fire Department, El Dorado Hills Fire District, Sacramento Metro Fire, and the Folsom Police Department responded to a residential structure fire on Livermore Way. A total of four engine companies, two truck companies, one paramedic ambulance, and two chief officers were dispatched.

Firefighters from Engine 38 arrived to find smoke coming from the garage. Heat and smoke made access difficult. Firefighters forced entry to the garage and made an aggressive attack on the fire. Fire personnel extinguished the fire within seven minutes of the first arriving fire engine. The fire was contained to the garage but caused smoke damage throughout the house. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

The Folsom Fire Department, the Folsom Police Department, and our neighboring agencies strive to work together to provide the best possible service to the community to save lives and property and minimize the impacts of emergencies such as this. The homeowner was alerted by smoke detectors. This fire is a great reminder that properly maintained smoke alarms save lives!

Response Facts:

First in District: 38

First in Company: E38

Battalion: 15

Incident Commander: Battalion Chief Eric Lefkove

Cause: Under investigation

Total Engine Companies 4

Total Truck Companies 2

Total Medic Units 1

Other Resources El Dorado Hills Fire District, Sacramento Metro Fire, Folsom Police Department, PG&E, SMUD

Total Command/Support Staff 3

Total Companies 7

Total Fire Fighters 23