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**SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPOND TO RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE –  
JUNIPER LANE**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 29, 2019) Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the scene of a residential structure fire earlier this morning, Monday, April 29, 2019, in the 2300 block of Juniper Lane. Emergency Communications was contacted at 2:13 a.m.

Captain Eric Matthews advised that the first units arrived on the scene at 2:21 a.m. and found heavy fire showing from the attic. The fire was marked under control at 3:22 a.m. The residents of the home, five adults and one child, will be displaced as a result of the fire. The American Red Cross will be providing assistance. No injuries were reported.

Responding units included Battalion 1, Battalion 2, Engine 5, Engine 25, Engine 10, Engine 2, Ladder 5, Rescue 1, EMS 1, Rehab 6, and Fire Marshal 4. Suffolk Police responded to assist with crowd control.

The cause of the fire is under investigation.

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