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### **FIREFIGHTERS RESPOND TO RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE**

SUFFOLK, VA (August 29, 2019) Suffolk Fire & Rescue crews responded earlier this morning to a residential structure fire in the 3600 block of Fawn Court in the Deerfield neighborhood.

Emergency Communications was contacted at 8:06 a.m. and the first unit arrived on scene at 8:14 a.m.

Battalion Chief Barney Howard advised that upon arrival crews found light to moderate smoke showing from the front door of the single-story brick residence. Firefighters were able to quickly knock down the fire that was primarily contained to the kitchen. The residence also sustained minor smoke damage.

There were no injuries. The fire was called under control at 8:25 a.m.

Responding units included Engines 5, 10 and 25, Ladder 5, Medic 10, Battalions 2 and 3, Safety 1, and EMS-1.

One adult has been displaced as a result of the fire and is being assisted by family at this time. The cause of the fire is under investigation.

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