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**SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPOND TO RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE –
EUGENIA STREET**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (October 6, 2019) Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the scene of a residential structure fire this evening, Sunday, October 6, 2019, in the 300 block of Eugenia Street. Emergency Communications was contacted at 5:02 p.m.

Battalion Chief William Kessinger advised that the first units arrived on the scene at 5:06 p.m. and found the front of the house fully involved. The fire was marked under control at 5:49 p.m. No one was at home at the time of the fire. No injuries were reported. The residents, including 2 adults and 3 children, are displaced as a result of the fire. The American Red Cross will be providing assistance. Additionally, the home next door suffered heat damage.

Responding units included Medic 1A, Rescue 1, Battalion 1, Engine 1, EMS 1, Engine 2, Engine 3, Ladder 3, and Safety 1.

The cause of the fire is under investigation.

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