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### **FIRE AT AN APARTMENT COMPLEX**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (January 21, 2022): Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded early this morning to reports of a fire at an apartment complex on Gateway Drive.

Emergency Communications was contacted at 01:40 a.m. and the first fire unit arrived on scene at 01:47 a.m.

Battalion Chief Dave Harrell advised that upon arrival fire units found a 3-story apartment building with light smoke and fire showing from the second and third floor balconies. The fire was quickly brought under control and did not extend into the main living areas. No occupants were displaced and there were no injuries reported. Apparatus that responded to the incident included Engine 5, Engine 25, Engine 10, Engine 9, Ladder 5, Ladder 3, Rescue 1, Battalion 2, Medic 5, EMS 2, Chesapeake Ladder 10, Chesapeake Engine 12, and Safety 1. The incident is under investigation by the Fire Marshal's Office at this time.

\*2 pictures are provided\*

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