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

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 20, 2022) Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the scene of a residential structure fire today, Wednesday, April 20, 2022, in the 5600 block of Nathaniel Street in the Belleville Meadows Subdivision. Emergency Communications was contacted at 12:41 p.m.

Battalion Chief Nick Savage advised that the first unit arrived on the scene at 12:46 p.m. and found light to moderate smoke showing. Crews found an active fire quickly advancing from the kitchen area to another room. Crews made an aggressive interior attack and performed a primary search confirming no one was inside the residence. The fire was marked under control at 12:59 p.m. No injuries were reported. One adult male will be displaced as a result of the fire.

Responding units included Engine 25, Ladder 5, Medic 5, Battalion 2, Engine 5, EMS 2, Engine 10, Ladder 3, Safety 1, Rescue 2, Chesapeake Engine 12, and Chesapeake Ladder 10.

The cause of the fire was determined to be cooking related.

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