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WORKING RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE ON PUGHSVILLE ROAD

SUFFOLK, Virginia (August 3, 2022): Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to the 3800 Block of Pughsville Road, in North Suffolk, for a residential fire. Emergency Communications dispatched the incident at 02:05 a.m.

Battalion 2, Engine 5, Engine 25, Ladder 11, and Medic 5 arrived at 2:12 a.m. to find heavy fire and smoke showing from a 40' single wide remanufactured residential home. Investigation found a well-advanced fire in the abandoned manufactured home. Firefighters were able to prevent the spread of fire to adjacent homes and performed a search of the interior of the residence. No injuries occurred to citizens or firefighters. The fire was placed under control at 02:23 a.m. Suffolk Police provided traffic control. Chesapeake Fire Department provided automatic aid as the Pughsville neighborhood borders the City of Suffolk and the City of Chesapeake.

The cause and origin of the fire is under investigation by the Suffolk Fire Marshal's Office with Fire Marshal 4 leading the investigation. The public is asked to contact Fire Investigator King, of the Suffolk Fire Marshal's Office, at 757-514-4550 if anyone has information regarding the fire or was witness to the fire this morning.

Responding units included Battalion 2, Engine 5, Engine 25, Engine 10, Chesapeake Engine 12, Ladder 11, Ladder 3, Chesapeake Ladder 10, Rescue 1, Medic 5, EMS 2, Safety 1, Fire Marshal 1 and 4.

3 Pictures are provided

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