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### **BRUSH FIRES EXTINGUISHED**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (February 23, 2014) Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to two separate brush fires this afternoon on Holland Road/Route 58 near Longstreet Lane and Pioneer Road.

Emergency Communications received the call at 4:11 p.m. and units arrived on scene in the rural area near Holland at 4:19 p.m.

One brush fire was estimated to be approximately 50 yards long and 50 yards deep, and the second fire was approximately 10 to 15 yards long. The fires were approximately 50 yards apart and extended from the side of the road ditch bank back through the brush and were quickly extinguished. There were no injuries.

Engines 4 and 7, Brush Trucks 1 and 7, Car 107 and Tanker 7 responded. Firefighters were assisted by volunteers from the Holland Volunteer Fire Station that were training nearby.

Traffic was briefly stopped on Route 58 westbound as units responded.

The cause of the fires is undetermined.

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