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SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPOND TO COMBINE FIRE

SUFFOLK, Virginia (November 10, 2014) Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel responded to a combine fire in the 4900 block of Deer Forest Road this afternoon. Emergency Dispatchers were notified of the fire at 4 p.m. and the first units arrived on the scene at 4:20 p.m.

The first responders found the combine fully engulfed and had the fire under control by 4:37 p.m. The combine, which was picking soybeans at the time of the fire, was declared a total loss. No one was injured in the incident.

Engine 8, Brush 1, Tanker 1, Medic 8A, Brush 8, and Reserve Engine 8 responded to the scene. Volunteer personnel assisted with staffing Fire Station 8 during the call.

The cause of the fire was determined to be mechanical failure.

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