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SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPOND TO RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE – WET MARSH COURT

SUFFOLK, VA (April 29, 2018) Suffolk Fire & Rescue responded to a residential structure fire this evening, Sunday, April 29, 2018, in the 800 block of Wet Marsh Court, located in the Burbage Lake Village Subdivision. Emergency Dispatchers were notified of the incident at 7:49 p.m.

Suffolk Fire & Rescue Captain John Gray noted the first unit arrived on the scene at 7:54 p.m. and saw light to moderate smoke coming from outside of the home on the garage side. The fire was mostly under control after the homeowners used a garden hose on the flames. Suffolk Fire & Rescue marked the fire under control at 7:59 p.m. The fire reportedly started in a garbage can and had spread to the side of the home. No one was injured and the residents (2 adults and 2 children) will not be displaced.

Battalion 1, Battalion 2, EMS 1, Engines 5, 25, 10, Ladder 5 and Safety 1 responded to the incident.

The cause of the fire was determined to be accidental.

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