



ROCKFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT INCIDENT UPDATE

Incident Information

Business Name: Residential

Address of Incident: 815 & 821 Maple Av

Date of Incident: 10/1/2016

Time of Incident: 03:06

Type of Incident: Residential Structure Fire

Cause of Fire: Undetermined

Estimated Loss: \$50,000

Injury Data

Civilian Injuries: 0

Civilian Deaths: 0

Fire Department Response

Engine(s): 5

Ladder(s): 3

District Chief(s): 2

Quint(s):

Ambulance(s): 1

Haz Mat Unit(s):

Boat(s):

Diver(s):

Other(s):

Total Firefighters: 33

Response Time: 5 mins

Narrative

The Rockford Fire Department responded to a report of multiple houses burning in the same location. On arrival fire companies on the scene found 2 vacant buildings, 1 single family house and one multi-family structure, fully involved with fire coming from the front of each structure. The incident was upgraded to a 2nd alarm. Crews had live power lines down across the road causing them to reposition before attacking the fires. ComEd was called and responded. Fire companies attacked both structures with hose lines from the inside and outside the structures. Both buildings were searched and found empty. The fires were brought under control and Rockford Fire Investigators investigated the fires. Estimated loss is a total of both buildings.

While these fires were being fought a 3rd fire was reported on the porch of 919 Acorn Street, a block away. Fire and Police personnel responded and extinguished that fire quickly.

Two firefighters sustained minor injuries while fighting these fires. Neither was transported to a hospital.

Thank you to the Salvation Army Relief crews for responding to help rehab fire crews.

If anyone has information regarding these or any other fires please contact the Rockford Fire Department, Rockford Police Department or Crime Stoppers.

For additional information contact: 779-348-7172

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