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Single-Family House Fire in Frederick

Frederick, MD (March 14, 2022) – At approximately 3:45 a.m. the Frederick County Emergency Communications Center dispatched a call for a reported house fire in the 5600 block of Mountain Laurel Drive in Frederick. Frederick County Division of Fire and Rescue units arrived to find a 2-story single family home with heavy fire showing. Command quickly requested the Rapid Intervention Dispatch and a Tanker Task Force as there were no fire hydrants in the area.

It took 60 firefighters approximately 90 minutes to knock the bulk of the fire and an additional 90 minutes to perform overhaul and knock hot spots. The home was not occupied at the time of the fire. There were no civilian or firefighter injuries. The cause of the fire remains under investigation by the Frederick County Fire Marshal's Office.

The different stations that responded include:

- Independent
- Junior
- Jefferson
- Lewistown
- Wolfsville
- Citizens
- Braddock Heights
- Middletown
- United

- Libertytown
- Westview
- Urbana
- Walkersville
- Spring Ridge
- Ft. Detrick

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Additional photos of the incident can be found on Facebook @FCDFRS and Twitter. Photo Credit to Mr. Trevor James.

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