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House Fire in Jefferson

JEFFERSON, MD (March 31, 2022) – At approximately 3:08 p.m. the Frederick County Emergency Communications Center dispatched a call for a reported house fire in the 5600 block of Carroll Boyer Road in Jefferson. Frederick County Division of Fire and Rescue units arrived to find a 2-story single family farmhouse fully engulfed in flames. The fire had spread to a nearby travel trailer and 2 vehicles. Command quickly requested the Tanker Task Force as there were no fire hydrants in the area and crews began battling the fire from the exterior of the home. Embers from the incident sparked a brushfire on an adjoining property and crews were dispatched there to control.

It took 50 firefighters approximately 2 hours to extinguish and the house was deemed a complete loss. The single adult occupant of the residence was not home at the time of the fire, however 2 dogs perished. There were no civilian or firefighter injuries. The cause of the fire is under investigation by the Frederick County Fire Marshal's Office.

The different stations that responded include:

- Independent
- United
- Brunswick
- Middletown
- Guardian Hose Company

- Walkersville
- Braddock Heights
- Carroll Manor
- Jefferson
- Wolfsville
- Lewistown
- Point of Rocks
- Spring Ridge

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Additional photos of the incident can be found on Facebook @FCDFRS, Twitter, and Instagram.

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