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RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE

CITY OF BURLINGTON, WI. - On Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at approximately 10:13 p.m. the City of Burlington Fire Department responded to a report of a house fire at 118 E. Jefferson Street. The first unit arrived on the scene within 4 minutes and observed a moderate amount of smoke pushing out of the soffit and gable on the east side of the house. Fire crews reported to the second floor of the home and noted clear conditions with only a smell of smoke. Immediate access was made to the attic where crews encountered high heat and heavy smoke conditions. Personnel promptly initiated suppression operations, extinguished the fire and then commenced overhaul operations. All emergency services units were clear of the scene by 1:30 a.m.

Agencies assisting the City of Burlington Fire Department with this incident included the City of Burlington Police Department, Town of Burlington Fire Department, and Burlington Rescue.

All residents were reported to be out of the building on Fire Department arrival. No injuries or fatalities incurred as a result of this incident. The origin and cause of the fire remain under investigation at the time of this press release.

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