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Structure Fire in Muscoy, Firefighter Injured

Date/Time: **March 24, 2014, 9:30 a.m.**
Location: **2200 Otono Ct. Muscoy CA**
Incident: **Structure Fire**

Summary: On March 24th, at approximately 9:30 a.m., a structure fire was reported on the 2200 block of Otono Court in Muscoy. The first on-scene fire unit reported a single family dwelling with light smoke coming from the rear of the structure with an involved attic. Firefighters made an aggressive interior attack and reported no victims inside. Due to an involved attic fire, additional firefighters went to the roof to cut heat holes and assisted the interior crew. During this fire attack, a San Bernardino County Firefighter received first to second degree burns; he was treated and released the same day.

San Bernardino County Fire Department responded to the call with three fire engines, a truck, a medic squad, two battalion chiefs and an investigator. San Bernardino City also responded with one fire engine. According to Fire Investigators on scene, the cause of the fire is unknown and under investigation. Estimated damage to the structure is approximately \$200,000 including content inside.

Now is a good time to check your batteries in your smoke detectors and make sure they are working properly. When any kind of electrical work is done in your home, try to have a professional electrician perform the work. It only takes one wire to destroy your home and put your family at risk. For more information on fire prevention and how to protect your loved ones, visit our website at www.sbcfire.org.

Courtesy photos are available at www.sbcfire.org under latest news.

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