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Sunday Morning Fire Damages Home in San Bernardino

Incident: Residential Structure Fire
Date / Time: Sunday, December 18th, 7:43am
Location: 800 Block of West Belleview, San Bernardino

San Bernardino, CA- at approximately 7:43 AM this morning San Bernardino County Firefighters were dispatched to a reported structure fire in the 800 block of West Belleview in the City of San Bernardino. ME221 arrived on scene within six minutes of dispatch and found smoke and fire showing from the front of a single story home. Firefighters found heavy smoke and heat inside the home. Firefighters inside coordinated with MT221's crew to provide vertical ventilation. Holes cut in the roof provided heat and smoke relief inside the home, helping interior firefighters access the fire and complete a search of the home. The fire was knocked down in approximately 10 minutes. So Cal Edison and Gas Company were called to isolate the utilities to the home. No injuries were reported to civilians or firefighters.

(3) Medic Engines, (2) Medic Trucks, (1) Battalion Chief and a Fire Investigator responded. Colton FD responded with MT211. Damage to the home and contents are estimated at approximately \$75,000. The fire is under investigation by San Bernardino County Fire Office of the Fire Marshall.

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