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Firefighters save a litter of puppies from early morning blaze

Date/Time:January 3, 2020 9:14 AMLocation:9700 Block of Tangelo, FontanaIncident:Residential Structure Fire

Summary: On January 3, 2020 at 09:14 A.M your San Bernardino County Firefighters responded to a residential structure fire on the 9700 block of Tangelo Ave in the City of Fontana. Initial reports were that there were multiple trapped animals still inside of the garage. Upon arrival ME71 reported Heavy smoke coming from the garage as well as the attic vents.

Crews quickly effected a rescue of a litter of puppies in the garage. Animal control was called to evaluate the puppies. Crews had the fire under control in 13 minutes with 19 personnel, 4 Medic Engines, 1 Medic Squad, 1 Medic Truck, 1 Battalion Chief, and 1 Investigator. No reports of injuries to suppression or civilians.

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