



NEWS RELEASE

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Firefighters Knockdown Vacant Mobile Home Fire

Date/Time: January 7, 2020 6:22PM
Location: 62900 Block of Rabbit Springs Rd, Lucerne Valley
Incident: Residential Structure Fire

Summary: At 6:22 PM San Bernardino County Fire crews were dispatched to a reported structure fire in the 62900 block of Rabbit Springs Rd in Lucerne Valley. Crews arrived in 4 minutes to find a vacant mobile home well involved. Crews also found exposures to nearby vegetation, trailers & power lines down as a result of the fire. Edison was immediately requested to mitigate the electrical hazard. Crews initiated a defensive fire attack, fighting the fire from the exterior, knocking down the fire in approximately 20 minutes.

#SBCoFD responded with (3) Medic Engines, (1) Medic Truck, (1) Water Tender, (1) Battalion Chief & (1) Fire Investigator. Apple Valley Fire Department assisted with (1) Medic Engine. The Fire is under investigation by San Bernardino County Fire Investigators. No damage estimates were available at the time of the release, however the vacant trailer received major damage.

Stormy weather can cause power lines to fall. This can create hazards – electrifying puddles, wet grass, and the surrounding area. Don't touch anyone or anything in contact with a downed power line. Always assume downed power lines are energized and dangerous. Stay away and call 911.

Always be aware when you're around overhead power lines. Stay at least 10 feet away from both overhead power lines and electrical facilities, and never approach or touch overhead power lines or any person or object in contact with the lines.

If you think your tree is a safety hazard to SCE infrastructure; specifically, power lines, please call SCE at 1-800-655-4555 to schedule a tree inspection.

*Info from SoCal Edison

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