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## **Johnson Valley Structure Fire**

**Date: May 16, 2016 10:30am**

**Location: 50500 Block of 50500 block of Joshua Tree, Johnson Valley, CA**

**Incident: Residential Structure Fire**

**Johnson Valley, CA-** On Monday morning, May 02, 2016 at approximately 10:30am San Bernardino County Fire responded to multiple reports of a residential structure fire in the 50500 block of Joshua Tree Rd. in the Johnson Valley area.

First arriving Firefighters found find a detached garage fully involved in fire and extending into the nearby single family residence. Firefighters made an aggressive attack and were able to save approximately fifty percent of the residence; the residence was located in a remote location with a lack of hydrants in the area. A water tender was added to the assignment to aid in suppression efforts. It took firefighters approximately 26 minutes to get the fire under control. No civilians or firefighters were injured.

County Fire responded 1 battalion chief, 3 paramedic engine companies, 1 water tender, 1 paramedic ambulance, and 1 investigator for a total of 14 personnel. CalFire also assisted with 3 engines and 1 battalion chief.

The San Bernardino County Fire Department would like to remind its residents to test your smoke detectors and to have and practice a family evacuation plan.

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