

## One person dies and another person is severely injured in fire in San Bernardino on Sept. 25

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Firefighters extinguish a fire in San Bernardino on Sept. 25. (Contributed photo by San Bernardino County Fire Department)

One person died, and another person was severely injured in a house fire in San Bernardino in the early morning hours of Sept. 25, according to the **San Bernardino County Fire** Department.

At 4:38 a.m., crews were dispatched to the area of West Magnolia and North E Street after 9-1-1 callers reported a home with a roof on fire, said Battalion Chief Mike McClintock.

Crews located the incident one block south of the reported location and found a single-story home well involved with fire in the 500 block of West 14th Street. Arriving firefighters were notified of victims possibly trapped in the home.

Downed power lines in the front yard and metal-barred windows created temporary access issues; however, firefighters made rapid entry to locate victims and work on a fire attack, McClintock said.

Firefighters simultaneously deployed to the roof to perform vertical ventilation to improve conditions inside the home. Additional personnel and an ambulance were ordered to support the efforts.

Once inside, rescue crews immediately located one victim. Advanced Life Support care was initiated by additional firefighter-paramedics. The adult patient was transported to an area hospital in grave condition. A second victim was found deceased inside the home.

The fire was knocked down within 20 minutes of arrival.

No working smoke detectors were found in the home.

The fire's cause is under investigation.

"San Bernardino County Fire reminds residents to ensure working smoke detectors are located on each floor of their home as well as in each bedroom. Have an escape plan and practice it regularly," McClintock said.

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## Driver Arrested for DUI After Crashing into San Bernardino Home

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INCIDENT DATE/TIME: 9-17-23 3:26 AM LOCATION: 25787 Mesa Ct. CITY: San Bernardino

DETAILS:

On September 17th, at about 3:26 AM, **San Bernardino County Fire**, CHP, and AMR responded to a crash at 25787 Mesa Ct in San Bernardino.

On arrival, CHP located a vehicle that had lost control and crashed into a home causing major damage. The driver and passenger were evaluated at the scene by AMR and declined treatment. CHP performed field sobriety tests and a breath analyzer, and the driver was arrested for possible DUI.

Video provided by the neighbor shows the car turn onto Mesa Ct, lose control and a crash can be heard.

There were occupants inside the home, but no injuries were reported. Building and Safety were requested to come evaluate the stability of the home.

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