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OAK HILLS, Calif. (VVNG.com) — Firefighters worked quickly to contain a brush fire burning near the Oak Hill Road off-ramp and the I-15 on Wednesday.

At about 1:18 pm, on June 30th crews were dispatched to a fire along the northbound shoulder of the Oak Hill Road exit. Firefighters on scene reported a quarter acre with a moderate rate of spread.

San Bernardino County Fire along with CalFire BDU arrived and quickly started to put water on the fire as they worked to keep it from jumping over the roadway.

According to a CalFire tweet, the forward rate of spread was stopped at 1/2 acre and units would remain on scene for mop-up. No injuries were reported, and the cause of the fire is unknown.

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Fire burns vendor area at swap meet

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A fire burned a vendor's selling space at the Sky Village Swap Meet in Yucca Valley Monday

YUCCA VALLEY — A fire burned a vendor's selling space at the Sky Village Swap Meet Monday afternoon. County Assistant Fire Chief Scott Tuttle said the cause is still under investigation.

People in the area reported seeing the fire about 1:15 p.m. at the swap meet, which is north of Builders Supply at 7028 Theatre Road.

"When the crews got there, they found one of the vendor areas well involved in fire," Tuttle said. "It was spreading to Joshua trees and threatening other vendor areas."

Firefighters were able to hook into a hydrant on the corner and start attacking the fire right away, keeping it from spreading to any of the other vendor areas, Tuttle said.

The San Bernardino County fire department sent two engine crews, who took about 20 minutes to knock down the fires.

The cause is under investigation. No one was at the scene, the assistant chief said.

"The whole property was locked up and there was nobody on the property when we got there. The owner got there about the same time we did, so she opened the gates and let us in," Tuttle said.

The affected vendor was selling household goods, he added. "There was nothing there that obviously would have caused a fire. There were no flammable liquids."

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