



AURORA FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE

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AURORA FIREFIGHTERS CONTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY HOUSE FIRE ON CRESCENT LANE

Aurora, IL – On December 6th at approximately 4:54 p.m., the Aurora Fire Department responded to a reported structure fire in the 2400 block of Crescent Lane. A total of 4 engine companies, 2 truck companies, 3 medic units, and 2 chief officers—26 personnel in all—responded to the scene.

First-arriving units reported smoke showing from the rear of a single-family home. The homeowner confirmed all occupants had evacuated safely. Firefighters made entry and located a fully involved fire in a workshop area at the rear of the home. A hose line was deployed to contain and extinguish the fire, while additional crews conducted primary searches and ventilated the structure. Moderate smoke was found throughout the home, but no fire extension was observed beyond the room of origin.

No injuries were reported. Due to smoke damage, the home was declared uninhabitable, and Victim Services responded to assist the displaced residents.

“As we head into the colder months, it’s important to take a fresh look at the fire risks around your home,” said Aurora Deputy Fire Chief Kevin Nickel. “From heating equipment to holiday decorations to indoor workspaces, small hazards can quickly become dangerous if overlooked. A few extra minutes of prevention can go a long way.”

Fire investigators from the Aurora Fire Department responded to the scene, and the cause of the fire remains under investigation. For additional information, please contact the Aurora Fire Department at (630) 256-4000.

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