

City of McKinney Fire Department Press Release
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McKINNEY, Texas (Feb 14, 2017) - McKinney Fire Department (MFD) responded to a multi-residential structure fire Feb. 13. Approximately 41 MFD personnel, 19 apparatus's responded under a 2nd Alarm call, and including the investigators from the Fire Marshal's office responded to the multi-family structure at Stonegate Apartments, 2521 Welford Street shortly after 8:30 p.m. Arriving MFD units were met by occupants who reported the fire was in the walls behind a dryer. Fire crews went into aggressive interior fire attack. Significant fire, heat and smoke damage throughout several apartments. Buildings electrical service was damaged by the fire causing service to be terminated until repairs can be made to the entire structure. Families were able to exit the apartment complex and reported no injuries. 12 apartment units were affected, and 39 residents were assisted by the Red Cross for alternative accommodations. Fire Marshal's office and City of McKinney building inspectors are still investigating the cause of the fire and the extent of damage. Mutual aid was given by the following Fire Departments: Allen, Frisco and Fairview.

Full Press Release will be disseminated as more information is confirmed and can be released.