

## **Kodiak Fire Department**

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## **Residential Structure Fire**

On Saturday morning, March 22, 2014 at approximately 07:45 am the Kodiak Fire Department was dispatched to 1412 Mill Bay Rd. for a reported structure fire, flames visible. The first arriving fire crew reported that the house was heavily involved in flames from the rear of the structure and initiated an attack on the fire.

All occupants evacuated the structure prior to fire department arrival. There were no injuries as a result of the fire.

A total of 11 firefighters and 5 units responded. The fire was contained with a majority of the damage to the room of origin with smoke damage throughout the rest of the home. The residents were given shelter by the Red Cross; the house sustained approximately \$20,000.00 in damages. Investigation to determine the cause of the fire is ongoing.

The Kodiak Fire Department wants to remind the public to check your smoke alarms and ensure they work and replace the batteries twice a year.