

## **March 20, 2012 - Morning Fire Damages Two Homes in Sunset Acres Neighborhood**

*Both homes were occupied at the time of the fire, no injury*

The Shreveport Fire Department was kept busy this morning with a house fire that damaged two homes. An EMS alert came into the 911 dispatch center around 6:29 AM at 3037 Parkridge. The closest Engine Company responded and when they arrived on scene they found a one story wood frame with heavy smoke and fire coming from under the carport and roof and flames had spread to the home next door at 3041 Parkridge. According to the occupant of the home, she got up and went into the kitchen and noticed the utility room and carport on fire and pressed her medic alert call button.

A second alarm was called immediately since two homes were already involved with fire at 6:34 AM. The fire was brought under control at 6:43 AM and several of the additional companies called were placed back in service.

The involved home suffered heavy fire and smoke damage and the neighboring home suffered moderate damage. Both homes were occupied at the time of the fire; three adults and three children in the involved home and two adults in the adjacent home that received moderate damage. One female adult was treated on the scene for chest pain; however, she was not transported to the hospital. One firefighter experienced chest pain on scene and he was transported to Willis Knighton Medical Center for evaluation. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.