

March 24, 2012 - SFD Battles Two Late Night Fires

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The Shreveport Fire Department was dispatched to 610 Euclid Street at 8:38 PM for a reported fire. Fire crews from Central Fire Station arrived on scene at a vacant two story apartment building that was fully involved with fire. A second alarm was called at 8:42 PM and additional resources were dispatched to bring the fire under control. Fire crews immediately began fighting the fire from an outside defensive position by protecting exposure and using large volumes of water to bring the fire under control.

While fire crews were still battling this fire, another call came into dispatch at 9:21 PM that a three story apartment building at 700 Cotton Street was on fire with smoke and flames visible. An engine company from the Euclid Street fire was immediately dispatch along with another 1st alarm response to this reported fire. Upon arrival, crews found flames coming from a second story window on the back of the building. The fire was contained to a mattress in the involved room and was immediately extinguished.

Both building involved with these two incidents are within a few blocks of each other, vacant, and do not have any utilities attached. There were no injuries from the two fires and both are still under investigation to determine the cause.