



# SHREVEPORT FIRE

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### Residential Fire – 2700 Block of Ashton Street

Shreveport Fire Department fire crews were dispatched at 4:24PM this afternoon to the 2700 block of Ashton Street to a report of a single-story wood framed residence fire. The first arriving SFD fire unit on scene reported the structure to have heavy flames coming from the front of the residence.

It took the efforts of 24 firefighters— 8 fire units, to bring this blaze under control and protect surrounding homes. One occupant was present at the time of the fire and escaped unharmed. The Red Cross was notified for the occupants' immediate needs. The fire cause is still under investigation.

If you or someone you know needs a free smoke detector, please contact the Shreveport Fire Department Fire Prevention Bureau at 318-673-6740. There were no injuries reported to firefighters. ###