



SHREVEPORT FIRE

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Shreveport Firefighters Battle Two House Fires Overnight

Shreveport Firefighters were busy overnight fighting two house fire, one in the Allendale neighborhood and the second in the Ingleside neighborhood.

Firefighters were dispatched to the 1100 Blk. of Portland Ave. at 3:14 am for a possible house fire. Firefighters from Station 4 arrived on scene at 3:17 am and reported a single story wood framed vacant home fully involved in fire. It took 8 - Units, 22 - Firefighters, 23 - minutes to bring the situation under control. There were no injuries and the fire is under investigations at this time.

At 4:00 am firefighter were dispatched to the 2800 Blk. of Dupont for a home on fire. Engine 15 arrived on scene at 4:06 am and reported a single story wood framed home with heavy smoke and fire showing from the side of the home.

The two occupants of the home were able to escape prior to the fire departments arrival unharmed. It took 8 - Units, 21 - Firefighters, 28 - minutes to bring the situation under control. The fire was placed under control at 4:34 am. The entire home sustained smoke and heat damage from the fire. There were no injuries reported and the fire is under investigations.

The home on Dupont did not have a working smoke detector. The Shreveport Fire Department will install a free Smoke Detector in your home by calling 318-673-6740. Fire Chief Scott Wolverton encourages all citizens of Shreveport to have a working smoke detector.