



MEDIA RELEASE

HOUSE FIRE – 15105 Westover Road, ELM GROVE

On Monday, April 23, 2012, at approximately 2:52 AM, Elm Grove Police and Fire Departments responded to an active house fire, at the above location. The structure is a single family home that, at the time of this release, is believed to be unoccupied and for sale. It is not known, at this time, whether the home had working smoke detectors or a fire alarm system. There were no reported injuries to citizens or emergency personnel.

Emergency responders arrived within minutes of the call. This fire necessitated a box alarm, consisting of the following fire agencies:

- Village of Elm Grove
- City of Brookfield
- Town of Brookfield
- Town of Waukesha
- City of Wauwatosa
- City of New Berlin
- Village of Butler
- Village of Menomonee Falls
- Village of Lannon
- City of Muskego / Tess Corners

The following police agencies assisted with this fire:

- Village of Elm Grove
- City of Brookfield

This fire is still under investigation and was deemed under control at 3:55AM. No origin or cause has been determined at this time. Early estimate of structural loss is \$407,300k. Total assessed value of the home, including land, is \$548,000, based on 2012 property tax listings.

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Chief of Police
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