



OSWEGO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT



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Press Release

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House Fire *Oswego Township*

(Oswego, IL) At approximately 12:04 A.M. the Kendall County Communications Center (KenCom) received a 911 call for a residence on fire in the 100 block of Laurie Ln. A General alarm was dispatched to the Oswego Fire Protection District. Two engines, two ambulances, a ladder truck, and a Battalion Chief responded. Prior to arrival, KenCom reported that all occupants had left the residence and the exterior of the back of the residence was on fire. A neighbor began extinguishing the fire with a garden hose. Fire Department personnel used approximately 10 gallons of water from an extinguisher to control the fire. Damage was contained to the exterior of the residence. No firefighter or civilian injuries reported. Upon investigation, it was determined that fireworks were a possible cause. Damage was estimated at \$10,000.00.

The Oswego Fire Protection District was formed by voter referendum in March of 1936, covers over 60 square miles in the northeast portion of Kendall County and about 1.5 square miles of northwest unincorporated Will County.

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