



OSWEGO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT



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Press Release

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Commercial Building Fire Will County

(Oswego, IL) At approximately 1205 PM, Oswego Firefighters, along with an Engine Company from the Aurora Fire Department, were dispatched to the 10000 Block of Clow Creek Rd for an activated commercial fire alarm. Upon arrival, the initial fire companies found a multi-unit commercial type building. There was an obvious fire in one of the units.

The alarm was upgraded, bring in additional fire companies. Due to this area of the Fire District being without hydrants, a water tender operation had to be established for water supply. Companies made entry into the unit and made an aggressive interior attack. No fire extension was found in the adjoining units. At the time of the incident, the business was unoccupied. The fire is currently under investigation. Estimated fire loss of \$50,000.00

No injuries noted to any Firefighters or civilians

Oswego Firefighters were assisted on scene by, Aurora Fire Department, Plainfield Fire Protection District, Minooka Fire Department, and the MABAS Division 15 Fire Investigators. Plainfield Fire Protection District and Troy Fire Protection District provided station coverage during the incident.

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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