



OSWEGO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT



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Press Release

**For Immediate Release
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Box Alarm Structure Fire 2200 Block of US Route 31

(Oswego, IL)

Just before 0800, Ken-Com 911 center received a call for smoke detectors going off and a smell of smoke in an apartment in the 2200 block of Route 31 in unincorporated Kendall County. Fire crews responded and once on scene found a working fire in larger out building with two apartments attached. The alarm was immediately upgraded to a General Alarm. As fire companies began an aggressive attack and searched the building it was determined that additional manpower would be needed, and the Alarm was upgraded to a MABAS Box Alarm. At 0909 the fire was brought under control and the Box Alarm was struck. Fire crews and investigators remained on scene until 1230 hours. At this time the structure was determined to be uninhabitable by building and zoning. The cause of the fire remains under investigation and an estimated dollar loss was not available at time of print.

There were no reported civilians or firefighters injured during the incident.

Oswego Fire Protection District was assisted on the scene by Aurora Fire, Bristol-Kendall Fire, Naperville Fire, Plainfield Fire, and Sugar Grove Fire, as well as members of the MABAS Division 15 Fire Investigation Team. Station coverage was provided by Montgomery Fire, Aurora Township Fire, and Bolingbrook Fire.

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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