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Wauwatosa Apartment Fire

Wauwatosa, WI – At 02:02 A.M. on 6/02/2021 the Wauwatosa Fire Department responded for a reported apartment fire at 1250 N 68th St. Upon arrival at a three story, twenty-unit apartment complex crews found two balconies on fire. The Wauwatosa Fire Department, along with Milwaukee Fire Department, placed the fire under control in less than 15 minutes.

A tenant from the apartment complex was alerted by the building fire alarm system and noted fire coming from the neighbor's balcony. At that time, she immediately called 911 and exited the building. Tenants from the apartment complex escaped without injury.

Fire and water damage were limited to three apartments. WE energies was called for assistance.

The exact cause of the fire is undetermined but appears to have started on a balcony. The fire investigation has been closed by the Wauwatosa Fire Marshall.

