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**Wauwatosa House Fire**

Wauwatosa, WI – At 7:22 P.M. on 7/08/2019 the Wauwatosa Fire Department responded for a reported house fire at 2641 N. 65<sup>th</sup> St. Arriving crews were met with moderate fire and smoke on the first floor of a one story home. The Wauwatosa Fire Department, along with the Milwaukee Fire Department, placed the fire under control in less than 20 minutes.

A neighbor noticed smoke coming from the house and called 911. No one was at the residence at the time of the fire.

The residence suffered significant fire damage to the kitchen and smoke damage throughout the house.

The exact cause of the fire is undetermined but appears to have started in the kitchen on the stove top. The fire does not appear to be suspicious and the investigation has been closed by the Wauwatosa Fire Marshal.

Crews were in the neighborhood today distributing smoke detectors and providing fire safety tips.