



# MEDIA RELEASE

*FOUNTAIN FIRE DEPARTMENT*

## STRUCTURE FIRE

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**April 18, 2022**

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On April 18, 2022, at approximately 3:13 AM, the Fountain Fire Department (FFD) responded to a structure fire in the 2100 block of El Vereda Drive where a two story, single-family residential building was found to be engulfed in flames. Firefighters from Security Fire Department, Stratmoor Hills Fire Department, Hanover Fire Department, and Ft Carson Fire Department responded as well.

The fire was under control at 3:35 AM and the last fire apparatus cleared the scene at 7:26 AM. The occupants of the home were alerted of the fire by properly working smoke detectors. No injuries were reported to any civilians or firefighters. The fire is currently under investigation and it is unknown how it started.

Any new information will only be released from the Public Safety Information Officer when, and if, it is appropriate.

The information contained in this media release is based on preliminary information available at the time of its drafting. The Fountain Fire Department's understanding of this incident may change as additional evidence is collected, analyzed and reviewed. The purpose of this media release is to provide timely information to the public. In consideration of the foregoing, please be advised that any statements expressed herein are subject to change at any time.

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