



# City of Sheboygan

FIRE DEPARTMENT  
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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **GENERAL**

Incident Type: Structure Fire

Date: Tuesday, December 12, 2023

Address (Hundred block): 14xx S. 17th Street

Alarm Time: 18:02:43

Incident Resolution Time: 19:16:45

### **DESCRIPTION**

Fire units arrived on scene of a two story, two family, residence to find moderate smoke and fire in the lower level. Fire crews arrived within 3 minutes, forced entry into the structure and completed searches of first and second floors confirming all occupants were safely out of the building. The tenant in the upper apartment called 911 to report this fire after smelling smoke. The fire was knocked down in about 10 minutes and crews worked for an hour opening up walls searching for hidden fires and hot spots that needed to be extinguished. Five (5) total residences have been displaced due to this incident and are being assisted by Red Cross.

### **PUBLIC SAFETY MESSAGE**

Ensure smoke alarms are installed, working and tested.

### **SUMMARY**

Count of Persons Displaced: Five

Injuries (Civilian and/or Fire Service): None

Incident Cause: Under investigation

Dollar Loss Estimate: \$45,000.00

Count of Sheboygan FD Units: Ten

Assisting Departments: None



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