

# City of Sheboygan

FIRE DEPARTMENT
1326 North 25<sup>th</sup> Street
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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### **GENERAL**

Incident Type: Fire-Structure

Date: Thursday, January 30, 2025

Address (Hundred block): 2200 Block of North 10th Street

Alarm Time: 1311 Hours

Incident Resolution Time: 1552 Hours

#### **DESCRIPTION**

At approximately 1:11 PM on January 30, 2025, the Sheboygan County Emergency Communications Center received a report of a structure fire in the 2200 block of North 10th Street. A full department response was immediately dispatched.

As the 911 call was being received, fire crews were clearing the scene of a nearby EMS call when a resident ran over to alert them of the fire. This allowed crews to arrive on scene quickly, helping to minimize damage to the structure.

Upon arrival, there were no visible signs of fire from the exterior. However, as crews entered the building, they encountered black smoke on the second floor. The first arriving crew advanced a 1 ¾-inch hose line to the second floor, where they located and extinguished the fire. Additional crews searched the building to confirm all occupants had safely exited, checked for fire extension, and placed tarps to protect the first-floor residence from further damage.

Firefighters successfully rescued one dog and three cats from the building.

Crews remained on the scene for approximately two hours, conducting overhaul and checking for hot spots. Six residents were displaced by the fire and are receiving assistance from the Red Cross.

There were no injuries to occupants or firefighters. The cause of the fire remains under investigation, and the estimated damage is approximately \$75,000.

The Sheboygan Fire Department was assisted by the Sheboygan Police Department.



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### **PUBLIC SAFETY MESSAGE**

The Sheboygan Fire Department reminds all residents to have a home fire escape plan and ensure their families know how to exit safely in the event of a fire.

## **SUMMARY**

Count of Persons Displaced: 6

Injuries (Civilian and/or Fire Service): None

Incident Cause: Under Investigation

Dollar Loss Estimate: \$75,000

Count of Sheboygan FD Units: 9

Assisting Departments: Sheboygan Police

### **MEDIA CONTACT**

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