

# **PRESS RELEASE**

## **Lisle-Woodridge Fire District**

### **Structure Fire 22W517 Tamarack Dr**

At 03:58:44 hours on Monday, October 24, 2016, the Lisle-Woodridge Fire District was notified by way of a 911 call from a resident reporting a possible structure fire behind their home. The incident location was 22W517 Tamarack Dr. in unincorporated Glen Ellyn, IL.

A General Alarm assignment was immediately dispatched by DU-COMM sending four (4) engines, three (3) ladder trucks, two (2) medic units, and three (3) chief officers to the scene, for a total of 28 personnel. Lisle-Woodridge Fire District was assisted on the scene by Lombard Fire Department, Downers Grove Fire Department, Wheaton Fire Department and York Center Fire District.

The first unit arrived on the scene at 04:04:55 hours reported a fully involved single-story residential home. Initial size-up confirmed heavy fire throughout the structure. Due to the amount of fire upon arrival, fire companies immediately deployed large diameter hose lines to extinguish fire from the outside of the structure before entering (defensive attack). Fire companies noted the roof collapsed shortly after arrival. Fire was under control within 30 minutes, fire units remained on the scene performing salvage and overhaul duties in the burned areas of the structure.

The DuPage Arson Taskforce and the Illinois State Fire Marshal were on the scene assisting with investigation. Fire cause is under investigation at this time. Additional information will be disseminated when available. If you have further questions, please contact Chief Krestan at 630-353-3000.

No firefighter injuries reported.

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