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SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (KABC) -- Crews responded to a third-alarm fire at a large carport in San Bernardino near multiple apartment buildings early Thursday morning.

Video from North Sierra Way showed flames engulfing the carport as firefighters worked to knock down the blaze.

The fire was first reported around 3 a.m.

Several units were reportedly evacuated.

No injuries have been reported. It is unclear how many vehicles and other property may have been damaged.

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A New Water Tender for the Yucca Valley Fire Station

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Yucca Valley Fire Station 42 received a new water tender that will be used to bring water to fires when a hydrant isn't close. **San Bernardino County Fire** Department photo

The San Bernardino County Fire Department has placed a new water tender into service at Fire Station 42 in Yucca Valley. This water tender will help bring additional water to the scene when a hydrant isn't nearby. The high ground clearance, four-wheel drive and rear locker will allow the WT to traverse rough terrain. The water tender carries 1800 gallons of water and can pump 500 gallons per minute. The four-wheel drive vehicle can pump while rolling and has a turret on the front bumper, capable of flowing 30-125 gallons per minute. The turret is controlled by a joystick in the cab allowing crews to stay inside the cab while directing the flow of water, nozzle pattern, and direction. Some other notable features are a hydraulically controlled porta-tank rack, extra cab, rear axle locker and full LED light package. The water tender can be used to attack fires, act as a mobile pump, or shuttle water.

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