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## San Bernardino Commercial Fire Quickly Knocked Down

**Date/Time:** 5/30/2021, 7:57am  
**Location:** 16th Street & Arrowhead Ave, City of San Bernardino  
**Incident:** Commercial Structure Fire

**Summary:** Last week San Bernardino County Fire crews were dispatched to a reported commercial fire in the area of 16th Street and Arrowhead Ave in San Bernardino. Multiple 911 callers stated fire and smoke from a vacant building.

Crews arrived within five minutes to find smoke and fire showing from a single unit of a vacant building. Arriving crews found a well-involved fire with multiple exposures. Due to the conditions a second alarm was quickly struck. Firefighters mounted an offensive fire attack, working to limit the fire's spread & find any trapped victims. Truck crews on the roof coordinated their efforts with interior division, working to keep the fire to the first story and improve survivability inside the building. The fire was knocked down in 30 minutes. Crews remained on-scene for two hours working on salvage and overhaul operations. The fire is under investigation by San Bernardino County Fire Investigators.

San Bernardino County Fire responded with 9 Engines, 3 Trucks, a Medic Squad, Air/Light Unit, 3 Battalion Chiefs and Fire Investigator.