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Commercial Structure Fire

Date/Time: 1/4/2022, 6:45AM

Location: 200 block of South "E" Street, San Bernardino

Incident: Commercial Structure Fire

Summary:

This morning San Bernardino County Fire crews were dispatched to a commercial structure fire in the area of Mill & South "E" Street in San Bernardino.

Arriving crews smoke and fire showing from the rear portion of a large auto shop. Firefighters aggressively attacked the fire, working to both limit the spread interior and complete a search for any potential victims. Truck Company crews worked on the roof completing vertical ventilation to increase the survivability and limit the lateral spread utilizing vertical ventilation. The fire was knocked down in 15 minutes. Firefighters were successful in limiting damage to a small portion of the large commercial building, saving a large portion of the occupied auto body shop. All searches of the building came up negative. A #SBCoFD Fire Investigator was requested to complete a cause / origin investigation. The cause is currently under investigation.

San Bernardino County Fire responded with Five Engines, Two Truck Companies, an Ambulance, a Battalion Chief and a Fire Investigator.

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