



SALEM FIRE-EMS NEWS RELEASE

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STRUCTURE FIRE AT 2200 MILL LANE

The Salem Fire & EMS Department responded to a structure fire at 2200 Mill Lane this morning at 8:40 a.m. Two adults and one child were at home at the time of the fire, and all three were able to escape safely. One occupant did suffer a minor injury, but that person did not need medical treatment.

The first units arrived within four minutes of receiving the call and found heavy smoke coming from the building. Crews found a fire inside the structure and were able to contain it within 20 minutes of their arrival. The house did sustain moderate fire and smoke damage.

Approximately 18 personnel from the Salem Fire & EMS Department (Engine 1, Engine 2, Engine 3, Tower 1, Medic 802 & Medic 803) responded to the call. The Roanoke County Fire & Rescue Department stood by and answered additional calls while Salem Fire & EMS crews were on the scene.

The fire remains under investigation by the Salem Fire Marshal's Office and there is no damage estimate at this time. The American Red Cross is currently providing assistance for the displaced residents.

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