



Humboldt Bay Fire News Release

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Subject : Structure Fire – 2280 Block of Ohio Street

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On April 6th, 2019 at 10:52 P.M., Humboldt Bay Fire responded to report of a fire in a home on the 2280 block of Ohio St.

An extension cord underneath a couch had caught a rug and the couch on fire.

Occupants were in bed at the time, and were alerted to the fire due to their working smoke alarms. This gave occupants enough notice to extinguish the fire and evacuate the home until incoming units arrived.

Humboldt Bay Fire responded with 3 Fire Engines, 1 Fire Truck, 1 Command Staff, and 1 Volunteer and were able to further ensure extinguishment of the fire and provide patient care to an occupant who had suffered a minor injury during evacuation. The crews were also able to remove the smoke from the residence and help remove ash and debris from the home.

Damage to the home is localized to the couch and carpet.

One occupant received care and transport for an injury sustained while evacuating.

Humboldt Bay Fire would like to remind the community how important it is to have working smoke alarms in your home. Smoke alarms save lives!

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