DATE: 09/03/2022
TIME OF ALARM: 10:26 AM
TYPE OF ALARM: Residential Structure Fire
LOCATION: 2439 Lavender Dr., South Walnut Creek
RESPONSE: Augmented Residential Structure Fire Response: 5 Engines, 2 Trucks, 1 Breathing Support, 1 Safety Officer, 1 Hydration Unit, 1 Fire Investigator, and 2 Battalion Chiefs,
ASSISTING AGENCIES: Con Fire/EMS, PG&E, San Ramon Valley Fire, and Walnut Creek PD.
TOTAL FIRE PERSONNEL AT SCENE: 32

Contra Costa County Fire responded to a reported fire on the second floor of a two story family dwelling at 2439 Lavender Dr. in South Walnut Creek. The newly reopened Engine 4 arrived on scene in just under 5 minutes and reported heavy smoke from the second floor. Upon investigation, the fire was found to be venting from a second story window on the rear of the structure.

Firefighters initiated an offensive fire attack. This was performed in conjunction with vertical ventilation and victim search. Upon reaching the second floor firefighters found that the fire had spread into the hallway, several adjoining rooms and the attic. The fire was contained to the second story by responding Firefighters with no victims inside the home.

Heavy overhaul was required due to metal roofing material over an older shake roof. Due to high temperatures at the time of the fire an additional Engine Company, Truck Company, Breathing Support Unit, and the Hydration Unit responded to this incident. Crews performed overhaul for an extended period of time to ensure the fire was fully extinguished. There were no Civilian or Firefighter injuries.

The residents (2 Adults & 2 Children) displaced by this fire were provided with support from the American Red Cross for emergency housing and other needs.

Respectfully Submitted,

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