

REDWOOD CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT ALARM ACTIVITY REPORT

DATE OF INCIDENT: July 4, 2003
ADDRESS OF ALARM: 928 Stambaugh
NATURE: Structure fire
TIME: 8:38 PM
UNDER CONTROL: 8:45 PM
UNITS ON SCENE: One Alarm
3 Engine Companies
1 Truck Company
1 Battalion Chief

INJURIES: None
CAUSE: Electrical short

STRUCTURE DAMAGE: \$7500
CONTENTS DAMAGE: \$ 500

SYNOPSIS OF ALARM: Redwood City Firefighters responded to a report of a structure fire, and upon arrival found smoke emitting from the attic vents. Upon entering the building firefighters found smoke coming from an electrical outlet located in the rear bedroom of the house. Firefighters gained entry into the wall and adjoining attic space. There they found the fire had spread and used a hose line to extinguish. They used their Thermal Imaging Camera to check for further extension. The fire was contained to the wall area and the wall studs in the attic.

The fire was caused by an electrical short.

REPORTING OFFICER: Battalion Chief Steve Krause