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ALARM ACTIVITY REPORT

DATE OF INCIDENT: April 13, 2007
ADDRESS OF ALARM: 571 MacArthur Ave. Redwood City
NATURE: Structure Fire, Detached Garage
TIME: 8:42 P.M.
UNDER CONTROL: 9:36 P.M.
UNITS ON SCENE: 1 Alarm, 1 Additional Special Call Engine
6 Engine Companies
1 Truck Company
2 Battalion Chiefs
1 Fire Marshal

INJURIES: One civilian, minor cut foot by broken glass.
CAUSE: Under Investigation

STRUCTURE DAMAGE: \$ 50,000
CONTENTS DAMAGE: \$ 25,000

SYNOPSIS OF ALARM: Fire units from Redwood City, Menlo Park, and Woodside Fire Departments worked together this evening to control a Fire that occurred in a detached garage at 571 MacArthur Ave in the North Fair Oaks area of Redwood City. The Fire also damage two homes to the rear of the Garage at 570 and 580 Douglas Ave.

Upon their arrival, the Firefighters were confronted with the interior of the Garage, and a storage area to the rear of the Garage heavily involved in Fire. The Fire was also burning the siding of two adjoining homes. Approximately 12 people (6 adults and 6 children) were displaced by the fire from 570 Douglas Ave after Fire damaged a portion of one room and compromised the electrical wiring in the home. The Red Cross was on scene assisting the occupants with temporary shelter. The Fire damage to 580 Douglas was minor.

At the time of this press release, a Fire Investigator is still on the scene attempting to determine the cause and area of origin of the Fire. There was one injury to a civilian who cut their foot on broken glass. The patient was treated at the scene by Fire Department Paramedics and was not transported to the hospital. There were no injuries to Firefighters.

REPORTING OFFICER: Battalion Chief Steve Cavallero