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Structure Fire

At approximately 5:15 a.m., the Countryside Fire Protection District responded to a fire alarm in the 70 block of Commonwealth Court in Vernon Hills. While enroute dispatch upgraded to a structure fire because of the other phone call and information they were receiving. Fire crews and Vernon Hills Police arrived on the scene. Upon arrival the apartment building was being evacuated and the crews were able to apply water to the fire on the second floor keeping it to a room and content fire in that apartment. The Countryside Fire Protection District was assisted by Libertyville FD, Mundelein FD, Lake Forest FD and Lincolnshire FD. The apartment was uninhabitable, all other units weren't affected and no injuries were reported. The cause is still under investigation.

Safety Message:

Test your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors monthly.

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