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Three Alarm SeaTac Fire

SeaTac, Wash. - February 20, 2016- One person was seriously hurt early this morning (1:20 am) during a three alarm apartment fire in the 3200 block of S. 192 Street.

Found by firefighters on the grass below her second story apartment balcony, the patient was treated and transported to a local hospital by King County Medic One. Her current condition is not known. There were no other reported injuries.

The first units on location found fire and smoke coming from the backside of the second and third stories of the three-story building. Because the fire took place during a time that most people would be home and asleep, firefighters attacked the fire very aggressively to protect anyone that might have been trapped inside. Fortunately, everyone had been able to self-evacuate and searches of the apartments found no occupants.

A total of 18 units have been damaged by the fire, smoke, or water. The fire has also left 44 people homeless. Red Cross was called in to assist the displaced. The apartment complex's management also helped the residents by providing apartments for them at another nearby location. King County Metro provided a bus to keep the residents warm and to transport them to the other apartment complex.

In addition to the Kent RFA, firefighters from South King Fire and Rescue, Burien, Tukwila, and the Port of Seattle responded to the incident. The Zone 3 Fire Explorer provided staffing for the rehab area.

The fire is currently under investigation.

Media: if you plan on sending a camera crew to the fire location and want an interview, please contact Captain Kyle Ohashi directly at 206-450-8400 so that he can meet you there.

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