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SeaTac Mobile Home Fire

SeaTac, Wash – February 28, 2017– One person was treated and transported today due to smoke inhalation following a mobile home fire in the 2900 block of S. 200 Street shortly after noon.

The first report of a problem came from a person living across Angle Lake from the double-wide home who saw smoke and flames. When firefighters approached the scene they could see a column of smoke and upgraded the incident to a “working fire” which added several extra personnel.

Because of the possibility of someone being in the home and how close other homes were, firefighters from Puget Sound Fire, Burien Fire Department, and South King Fire and Rescue quickly got water on the flames, which were now coming through the roof. It took a total of 30 minutes to fully extinguish the fire.

Two searches of the building showed that no one was inside. The resident did return home shortly after the fire was out. The person who was treated, a neighbor, apparently tried to use an extinguisher on the fire prior to the fire department’s arrival.

The cause of the fire was a malfunctioning bathroom ceiling fan and is considered accidental.

Red Cross is assisting the family.

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