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Abandoned House fire on the West hill of Kent

Kent, Wash – Nov 19th, 2018 – At 10:26 PM a fire started in an abandoned house at S272nd St. and 26th Ave S.

A passerby called in the fire and when a Puget Sound unit arrived there was heavy smoke and flames from the front of the house. Hose lines were pulled, and an exterior attack was made. The second fire engine from South King Fire and rescue arrived and supplied the attack engine with water from a hydrant. Once the fire was knocked down entry was made into the home and the fire was extinguished.

The house had a daylight basement and when the basement door was opened a dog ran out unharmed and is presently being cared for by animal control until the owner can be found.

Two thorough searches were completed and nobody was discovered in the house.

Additional help was received from South King County Medic One and Zone 3 Rehab.

Belfor is providing a free board up service to secure the home.

The fire is currently under Investigation by a Puget Sound Fire Investigator.

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