

BRISTOL FIRE DEPARTMENT



PRESS RELEASE

On December 19, 2017 at 11:37 p.m. the Bristol Fire Department received a call for a structure fire at 38 Colony St. Engines 1, 2, 4 and Tower 1 were dispatched along with a Deputy Chief.

Firefighters arrived on scene to find fire and smoke conditions in a 1 ½ story, single-family dwelling. Firefighters advanced a hoseline through the rear of the structure. There they located a 52 year old female occupant on the floor suffering from burns. She was removed from the building and transferred to Paramedics from Bristol EMS. The occupant was flown by Life Star helicopter to Bridgeport Hospital where she is being treated for her injuries. The fire was quickly extinguished by fire crews.

Two Bristol Police Officers suffered minor smoke inhalation after entering the residence in an attempt to rescue the occupant. No other injuries were reported.

The cause of the fire is undetermined at this time and is currently under investigation by the Bristol Fire Marshal's office and the State Fire Marshal.

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