



MEDIA INFORMATION / PUBLIC INFORMATION WORKSHEET

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1. Date/Incident number	01/11/2017 (2017-000629)
2. Incident BLOCK (no address)	17,000 Block of I-40 Frontage Rd. in Tijeras
3. Area of County	East Mountains
4. Mutual Aid request/given	None
5. Reported by:	911 Call
6. Fire Condition/Alarms (working fire, 2 nd alarm)	Working fire. 2 nd Alarm.
7. Size & Type of Structure/Incident (apt/residential home/ bldg)	Medium sized 2 story residential home.
8. Number of Personnel Responded (Units and FFs)	15 units and 28 firefighters
9. Time Dispatched/1 st Unit Arrival time	Dispatched: 22:55 Battalion 7 Arrived: 23:11
10. Brief description of what 1 st unit on the scene saw.	Battalion 7 arrived to find a 2 story residential structure with a basement fully involved in fire and threatening the wilderness.
11. Total time to bring fire under control	1 hours, 17 min.
12. Anyone inside at the time of the fire. If yes, how many	No
13. How was family alerted? (smoke detector, neighbors)	N/A.
14. Injuries? If yes, include age, gender, transport info & injuries sustained.	None
15. Fire Origin? Was it contained to origin?	Contained to building of origin with limited spread to wilderness directly surrounding property.
16. Spread through %	100%
17. Smoke Damage (light or heavy smoke damage throughout)	Total Loss
18. Cause (determined/undetermined accidental,natural,incendiary)	Under investigation.
19. Estimated Damages (structural, contents/vehicle)	Structural: \$150,000 Contents: \$45,000
20. Assisting Agencies like Red Cross, # of displaced?	Bernalillo County Sherriff's Office, Santa Fe County Fire Department, Torrance County Fire Department, Sandoval County Fire Department
21. Contributing factors such as wind or location	Difficult location to access, requiring 4-wheel drive vehicles. Long distance water relay operation required.
22. Additional information (rescues, FF injuries and so on)	1 firefighters treated for minor injuries and transported to a local hospital.
23. On Scene POC	Captain Z. Lardy
24. Community Risk Reduction Message	Keeping the area around your home clear of debris helps firefighters protect your home and the wilderness.
25. Additional Information	Access to this location, extent of the fire involvement and exposure of the wilderness posed significant challenges for firefighters. The proximity of fire hydrants necessitated a water shuttle operation to provide water to the fire location almost 2000 ft. from where water trucks could drop their water.