City of Crystal Lake

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STRUCTURE FIRE – 515 Parkside Terrace.

Crystal Lake, IL – The Crystal Lake Fire Rescue Department responded at 01:29am to a structure fire at 515 Parkside Terrace. Upon arrival on scene, the first fire unit reported a single family structure fully involved with fire. Crews were notified that all four residents had evacuated the home prior to the fire departments arrival.

Fire crews made a defensive attack on the fire from both the front and rear of the structure. Fire crews reported the fire under control 60 minutes into the fire and continued work to extinguish hotspots and secure the structure.

One civilian was transported to the hospital with smoke inhalation. No firefighters were injured during the incident.

Crews were assisted on the scene by the Algonquin Fire Protection District, Huntley Fire Protection District, McHenry Fire Protection District, Woodstock Fire Protection District, Crystal Lake Police Department, the Crystal Lake Public Works Department, Com-Ed and NICOR. Carpentersville Fire Protection District, West Dundee Fire Protection District, and Marengo Fire Protection District assisted with a change of quarters.

The cause of the fire is under investigation.