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Date of incident October 11, 2012

Residential Structure Fire at 92 Chamale Cove West

Slidell, LA.-St. Tammany Fire District#1 responded to a residential structure fire at 92 Chamale Cove West, in just over 5 minutes firefighters arrived on the scene to find the structure with smoke and flames showing from the front of the residence. Firefighters were able to contain/extinguish the fire within 10 minutes of arriving on the scene.

The cause of the fire is believed to be an electrical short near the electric meter. The homeowner was asleep at the time of the fire and was awoken by a neighbor beating on the front door. No injuries were reported.

1st alarm: 06:11

On scene: 06:16

Under Control: 06:26

Units: 13

Firefighters: 26

Injuries: 0

Cause: Electrical Short