



# Press Release

February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026

On February 15th, 2026, at 10:30 AM, the Burlington Fire Department was dispatched for a structure fire at 1510 Smith St in Burlington. Fire crews arrived on scene within four minutes to find flames visible from the first story and extending into the second story of the residence.

The two-story single-family residence is owned by Arya Enterprises and was insured at the time of the incident. There were six children home ranging in age of two to eighteen years old inside at the time of the incident. All occupants were able to escape safely. The residence had working smoke alarms. Property damage are being assessed and the residence is considered uninhabitable.

Burlington Fire Department was assisted by West Burlington Fire Department, Burlington Police Department, Alliant Energy and Gas, American Red Cross, and DESCOM.

There were no injuries reported to civilians or firefighters.

The incident remains under investigation. Any further updates will be released by the Fire Marshal if they become available.

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