

CITY OF COLUMBIA MO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Full Data Incident Report

Incident Number
2403529

Incident type
Building fire

PSAP Call Date/Time
03/17/2024 07:01:40

Officer in Charge
CASZATT, ERIC C, FIRE DIVISION CHIEF

Incident Address 406 S NINTH ST, 1, COLUMBIA, MO, 65201	County --	Fire Zone 15S WD 5811
Property Type Restaurant or cafeteria. Places specializing in on-premises consumption of food. Includes carryout and drive-through restaurants.	Property Status In normal use	

Dispatch Information			
Dispatched Incident Type			
FDID Number	01005-	Dispatched Number	2024071727
Alarm Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40	Dispatch Notified Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40

Incident Location Information			
Structure Type	Enclosed building	Property Status	In normal use
Property Loss	1,000,000	Contents Loss	100,000
Floors Above Grade	1	Floors Below Grade	0
Length	60	Width	40
Area	2400	Presence of Detectors	Undetermined
Presence of AES	None Present		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 1 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Assistant Fire Chief - Chief 3	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:20:29
Type	Chief officer car	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:20:29
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:20:29
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:30:36
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:12:37
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:12:37
Crewmembers	JENKINS, JERRY		

Apparatus**Department Unit 2 of 13**

Apparatus Name	Battalion Chief 1	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:27:37
Type	Chief officer car	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:27:37
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:27:37
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:27:37
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 09:23:12
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 09:23:12
Crewmembers	MERTENSMEYER, ROGER		

Apparatus**Department Unit 3 of 13**

Apparatus Name	Division Chief 7	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
Type	Chief officer car	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:04:22
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:16
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:16:21
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:16:21
Crewmembers	CASZATT, ERIC C		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 4 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Engine 1	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:07
Type	Engine	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:07
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:07
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:59
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:24:17
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:35:00
Crewmembers	WESBURY, ERIC PETERSHEIM, JONATHAN PAGANO, JAMES		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 5 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Engine 2	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
Type	Engine	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:30
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:09:26
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:37:51
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:37:51
Crewmembers	CUMMINS, DAVID W DERAPS, DAVID A Budd, Spencer		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 6 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Ladder 1	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
Type	Truck or aerial	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:04:05
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:58
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:24:17
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:24:17
Crewmembers	INGEBRITSON, MATHEW MATTINGLY, KYLE SOETAERT, DANIEL		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 7 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Ladder 2	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:56
Type	Truck or aerial	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:56
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:04:35
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:11:07
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:38:02
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:38:02
Crewmembers	COLLINS, JUSTIN M FOX, WILLIAM K HULETT, LOREN		

Apparatus**Department Unit 8 of 13**

Apparatus Name	Marshal 4	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:28:34
Type	Other apparatus/resource	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:28:34
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:28:34
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:02:52
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:16:21
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:16:21
Crewmembers	RIGGS, STEVEN		

Apparatus**Department Unit 9 of 13**

Apparatus Name	Marshal 6	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:15:53
Type	Other apparatus/resource	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:15:53
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:15:53
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:15:53
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:07:15
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:07:15
Crewmembers	Wright, Colin		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 10 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Quint 3	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40
Type	Quint	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40
# of Crewmembers	4	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:01:40
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:34:26
Location at Dispatch	1201 Paquin St, Columbia, MO, 65201	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:34:26
Crewmembers	LEIVA, ELIZABETH MCCORD, MICHAEL TOLSON, AARON HANEY, DAVID J		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 11 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Quint 4	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:56
Type	Quint	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:56
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:47
Use	Suppression	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:10:09
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:08:31
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:08:31
Crewmembers	AGNEW, MATTHEW D BUNTON, MATTHEW J CASH, JESSE C		

Apparatus			
Department Unit 12 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Safety 1	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
Type	Other apparatus/resource	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
# of Crewmembers	1	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:04:55
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:05:55
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:24:17
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 10:24:17
Crewmembers	JENKINS, MARK	Canceled Date/Time	03/17/2024

Apparatus			
Department Unit 13 of 13			
Apparatus Name	Squad 3	Dispatch Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
Type	Rescue unit	Acknowledge Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:03:55
# of Crewmembers	3	En Route Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:04:05
Use	Other	Arrive Date/Time	03/17/2024 07:06:10
ALS Support Capable	No	Clear Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:51:38
Location at Dispatch	Assigned station	Back in Service Date/Time	03/17/2024 08:51:38
Crewmembers	HEATH, JOSH L THACKER, JOHN FRUITS, ANDREW J		

Weather Information			
Temperature	37 °F	Wind Speed	2.06 mph
Wind Direction	Northwest	Humidity	63%
Weather Type	Clear, less than 1/10 cloud cover		

Fire Information			
# of Buildings involved	1	Area of Fire Origin	Wall surface: exterior
Floor of Origin	1	Cause of Ignition	Cause under investigation
Factors contributing to ignition	Outside/open fire for warming or cooking	Human Factors contributing to ignition	Possibly impaired by alcohol or drugs
Heat Source	Hot ember or ash	Fire Spread	Confined to building of origin
Item first Ignited	Exterior sidewall covering, surface, finish	Type of Material	Sawn wood, including all finished lumber
Equipment Involved in Ignition	No	Vehicle involved in Incident?	No
Acres burned	Less than one		

Hazardous Materials Information			
HazMat Released	None	Equipment Involved in Release?	No
Vehicle Involved in Release?	No		

Operations Information			
Operations Section Engaged?	No	Par Completed	No

Actions Taken	
Department	
Extinguishment by fire service personnel	

Actions Taken		
-- Personnel		
JENKINS, JERRY	Assistance, other	Standby

Narratives
Department NFIRS Narrative
See Investigation Report.
Last update on 03/18/2024 at 12:51:17 by STEVEN RIGGS

Narratives
Battalion Chief 1
I arrived on this incident and checked in with command. I maintained a position on the Alpha side of the structure and was assigned Operations. There I assisted in directing crews to needed assignments and acted as a Safety Officer.
Once the fire was under control, I reported to the command vehicle. Shortly after that I was returned to service with other units.
R. Mertensmeyer
Last update on 03/17/2024 at 19:53:41 by ROGER MERTENSMEYER

Narratives

Squad 3

Squad 3 arrived on scene and established water supply to Quint 3.

I (Josh Heath) advised command that water supply had been established. We went to the Bravo side of the structure, where FF Fruits and I forced a door for ventilation. Command then reassigned us to go to the roof of the building on the Delta side and check for extension. After poking an inspection hole, no fire was found. We exited the roof and began filling air bottles and picking up hose lines.

After air bottles were filled command advised that we could return to service.

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 10:40:14 by JOSH L HEATH

Narratives

Safety 1

Safety one responded and upon arrival performed a secondary 360. There was heavy black smoke from the roof area. Upon arriving at the charlie side of structure Quint 3's crew was flowing water through a rear exit door. Quint 3's crew advised there heard a pop come from the exterior wall. Upon inspection long cracks were observed in the exterior concrete block wall. There appeared to be compression and the bottom of the wall was bowing out. I advised command of the findings. Command ordered an evacuation for all personnel at the scene. Air horns from apparatus were sounded. Command conducted a par and all personnel were accounted for. Throughout the incident I monitored for safe operations and over all conditions. Upon the incident being completed, I returned to service.

Cpt. Mark Jenkins

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 20:27:52 by MARK JENKINS

Narratives

Assistant Fire Chief - Chief 3

I (Assistant Fire Chief Jerry Jenkins - Chief 3) arrived on the scene. I reported to the command post to check in.

Incident Commander Division Chief Eric Caszatt updated me on the situation.

I remained at the command post for most of the incident.

I escorted the representative from Building and Site Development around the fire scene.

I met with the owners of The Heidelberg Restaurant and walked through their business to confirm there was not damage.

I escorted the representative from the Health Department in The Heidelberg Restaurant.

I returned to the command post then cleared the scene in service.

Last update on 03/18/2024 at 11:08:30 by JERRY JENKINS

Narratives

Engine 2

E2 arrived on scene, I advised command E2 was ready for an assignment. Command did not give E2 an assignment. E1's crew was assigned fire attack E2's crew went in with E1's crew and assisted with hose management. E2's crew exited the structure when command advised evacuation. E2's crew went to the Charlie side and assisted crews with overhaul and extinguishment in the shed on the back of the structure.

Command advised E2 could return to service. I returned E2 to service.

Capt. David DeRaps

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 19:12:54 by DAVID A DERAPS

Narratives

Marshal 4

See Investigation Report.

Last update on 04/05/2024 at 15:47:04 by STEVEN RIGGS

Narratives

Marshal 6

Assisted Marshal 4. See that report for details.

Last update on 03/20/2024 at 07:42:14 by Colin Wright

Narratives

Division Chief 7

On 3/17/2024 I responded to the listed incident as the on duty Division Chief. En route I advised BCJC that the incident was in the area of University & 9th Street, not on Broadway. Upon my arrival on the scene I assumed command from Q3. I moved all units to the Brown Tactical channel for operations. Q3 advised of fire in an extension of the building on the Charlie Side of the structure.

I assigned Station 1 units to fire attack and Ventilation on the Alpha side of the structure. BC1 made other assignments on the Alpha/Bravo area of the structure. I assigned him operations.

Q3 advised me of structural cracks and issues with the exterior wall on the Charlie side of the structure.

I ordered all interior units to evacuate the structure. I ordered Q3 Engineer to sound his air horn. PAR was conducted for all on scene units. All units advised PAR from the exterior of the structure.

I placed L1, L2 and Q3 in a defensive posture for possible aerial operations.

I assigned SF1 to the Charlie side to monitor the wall area.

Q3 advised the fire was knocked down and that they were doing mop operations in the shed area.

W&L, Ameren UE, City of Columbia Building & Site, Health Department and FMO contacted to respond to the scene. After the FMO investigation I assigned Q3, E1 & L1 to overhaul operations. Building and Site arrived on the scene and worked with FMO and Chief 3.

I transferred command to Q3 and returned to service.

CF7 Caszatt

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 15:31:31 by ERIC C CASZATT

Narratives

Ladder 1

Ladder 1 arrived on scene and was assigned to make access on the alpha side of the building for search and ventilation.

We forced the alpha side door and made entry for primary search. While searching Command notified all units to evacuate due to structural instability. We then exited the structure on the alpha side. After exiting we deployed our aerial to inspect the roof. While doing so conditions improved so we went back down due to no ventilation needs on the roof. We then assisted in overhaul operations and apparatus rehabbing until released by Command.

Ladder 1 cleared in service.

-Capt. Ingebritson

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 15:47:35 by MATHEW INGEBRITSON

Narratives

Quint 3

On 03/17/2024 at 07:01, Q3 was exiting 1201 Paquin St with a medical emergency when we noticed all of our immediate area in downtown Columbia seemed to have smoke lingering. The smoke smelled of a structure fire. The EMS crew quickly released Q3's crew.

I (Captain David Haney) advised BCJC of our findings and to transfer command to EMS. I advised that we were going to investigate.

Q3's crew traveled West on University Ave. As we were coming to S 9th St and University Ave we could see a plume of black smoke coming from a business on S 9th St. As we got closer, I could see flames coming from the rear of the structure. In the immediate alleyway, on the Charlie side of the structure, there were two different dumpsters impeding our entrance to the business. Eng Tolson turned North on S 9th St to get a 360 view of the structure and to gain access from an alleyway on the Bravo side of the structure. The alleyway was blocked with vehicles. I had Eng Tolson turn us around, so we could go to a rear parking lot and have immediate access to the fire.

I advised BCJC that we had heavy smoke and flames from the rear of a commercial structure. I requested them to dispatch a CSF to Noodles and Co. and I established Noodles Command. I advised that we were pulling a pre connect hose line for Fire attack.

Once at the rear of the structure, FF Leiva pulled a pre connect hose line to the Charlie side of the structure and began to extinguish the fire. The fire was coming from what appeared to be a secondary out building off the rear of the structure. We encountered commercial grade shelving units which appeared to be attached to the walls and were keeping us from entering the building. We used an initial defensive approach to extinguish the fire. CF7 arrived and assumed command. FF Pagano did a quick sweep at the door on the Charlie side entrance. He advised me that it was clear. FF Leiva had knocked down the fire, so I had her move to the Charlie side entrance door and cool the environment with her hose line. I used a TIC to check the environment and look for casualties. None were noted. As FF Leiva was cooling the area, she noticed cracks in the walls on the Charlie side of the main structure that were not noticed when we arrived. She advised me of her findings. I relayed her information to command. SF1 arrived and made a decision to remove crews from the immediate area due to the cracks in the wall. All other interior crews were evacuated and a PAR was conducted.

My air was depleted and Captain McCord had arrived to be my relief. I left FF Leiva with Captain McCord and I conducted a face-to-face with CF7. I resupplied my air and assisted S3's crew with throwing a ground ladder to the adjacent building to try and make access to the roof for overhaul operations. Moments later, I was advised that I could transfer my duties to Captain McCord and go home.

Written by David Haney

Last update on 03/18/2024 at 17:05:42 by DAVID J HANEY

Narratives

Engine 1

E1 arrived on scene and positioned on the Charlie side of the structure. Command then requested us to perform Fire attack. Q3's crew was already in position on the Charlie side and flowing water on the main body of the fire. So I determined to enter through the alpha side.

2.5" hose line was then deployed from Q3 to the alpha side of the building. We then made entry into the building and were met by low heat and heavy black smoke. We made our way through the structure and found no fire. We were then advised by command to evacuate due to stress cracks in the block wall on the Charlie side. We then exited the structure.

We then relocated to the Charlie side. We then assisted other crews with overhaul and checking for extension. Once all fire was knocked down, we assisted with rehabbing equipment.

After all equipment was rehabbed, we did one final sweep checking for any extension. After it was determined it was clear, command advised we could return to service.

E1 then cleared in service.

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 16:29:44 by ERIC WESBURY

Narratives

Ladder 2

Ladder 2 arrived on the scene. I (Justin Collins) made a face-to-face with BC1. He advised we had fire in the back of the building.

Fox and I performed a visual of the Alpha and Bravo sides of the building. I met with S3 officer and advised I needed them and L2 crew to force 2 doors on the Bravo side to gain access and provide ventilation. Once we opened those and confirmed the fire was knocked down we sat a fan at the front door on side Alpha.

FF Fruits and I set a ground ladder on Side Alpha so I could look at the roof. I had Fox and Hulett reposition and set up L2 for aerial ops at this time.

L2 continued to perform ops to help bring the incident under control including overhaul and visual inspection using a TIC.

Once the operations were completed Command advised we could break our truck down. All hose and equipment was reloaded.

I returned L2 to service.

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 14:57:51 by JUSTIN M COLLINS

Narratives

Quint 4

Q4 responded from Station 4. and was assigned RIC1 on our arrival.

We performed RIC duties and observed the incident from the exterior until returned to service by Command.

Q4 cleared in service.

Last update on 03/17/2024 at 10:28:58 by JESSE C CASH

Report Completion

Officer In Charge

CASZATT, ERIC C

Rank FIRE DIVISION CHIEF

Member Completing Report

RIGGS, STEVEN

Rank ASST FIRE MARSHAL

Date 04/18/2024

Signature



Special Study Questions

Was a
unhoused/homeless
person involved?

Yes