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2 STORY HOUSE FIRE IN MODESTO

At 2206 hours on Thursday 4/3/14 Modesto Regional Fire responded to a report of a house on fire in the 1400 block of Leonard. The first due Engine arrived on scene within 5 minutes to a 2 story occupied dwelling with the 2nd floor fully involved, flames were seen coming from every window on the 2nd floor. Crews operated in the Offensive mode. An aggressive fire attack keep the fire to the 2nd floor, the 1st floor did have some smoke and water damage. The occupants were all accounted for and uninjured. Red Cross was called to provide assistance to 6 adults and 1 child. 18 Firefighters responded with 4 Engines, 1 Truck, Battalion Chief and an Investigator. The fire was contained in 20 minutes. Crews were on scene for 2 hours doing overhaul. The cause is under investigation. Early damage estimates are at \$100,000



