

For Immediate Release:

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At 7:43 this morning the Duluth Fire Department responded to a 4 unit apartment building on fire at 2813 W 4 ST. The fire involved a kitchen on the first floor. It vented out the room's windows and burned the exterior siding. It also began to spread through wall and ceiling spaces. Firefighters were on the scene for two

All four of the building's occupants were home but escaped unharmed. The damage estimates are \$60,000 to the structure and \$15,000 to the contents. Friends, family and the Red Cross will provide shelter because of the damage.

A plastic container containing clothes that was left on the kitchen stove top has been determined to be the cause.