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Two Alarm Fire Damages Vacant Homes

Modesto, CA - At 19:19 Modesto Regional Fire Authority units responded to a reported structure and vegetation fire in the 200 block of Spencer Ave. Engine -2 was first on scene at 19:23 and reported one fully involved vacant home, a second vacant home on fire threatening an occupied residence. A second alarm was requested bringing 6-Engines, 1-Truck, 2 Battalion Chief's and 1-Investigator, for a total of 24 Firefighters. Firefighters prevented the extension to an occupied residence to the North. Extensive overhaul was performed with crew clearing the incident at 21:26. This was the second fire on Spencer that day. MRFA units responded to a single alarm fire grass fire earlier in the day.

The Modesto Regional Fire Authority would like to remind citizens to check their smoke detectors monthly and replace the batteries once a year.

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