



Modesto Fire Department Press Release
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Two Alarm Fire Burns Vacant Home In Modesto

At 0026 hours this morning, the Modesto Fire Department responded to a report of a vacant home on fire at the intersection of Grape and Evergreen. Crews arrived to find a two story custom home with fire throughout the second floor. A second alarm was requested which brought the response to 5 engines, 2 squads, 1 truck, and 1 BC for a total of 23 personnel. Crews performed an aggressive fire attack and contained the fire within an hour. Crews remained on scene for several more hours ensuring the fire was completely extinguished. No injuries were reported and the cause is still under investigation. The fire loss is estimated at \$250,000.