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For immediate release:

Incident Number 2023-003859

Building Fire -33 Tigertail Circle. Derry, NH

On September 20, 2023, at 3:44 p.m., the Derry Fire Emergency Communications Division received a 911 call reporting a kitchen fire at 33A Tigertail Circle in Derry, a two-story duplex home. The occupants self-evacuated but reported a dog was still inside.

First crews arrived at 3:48 p.m. and found smoke coming from the first floor and heavy fire in the kitchen of the left-side unit. Fire crews were able to quickly extinguish the fire and the incident was under control at 4:03 p.m. The dog was located uninjured and reunited with the family.

Significant fire damage to the first floor of the left-side unit made it uninhabitable. The right-side unit was able to be reoccupied. The Red Cross is assisting the two adults, three children and one dog who were displaced.

Mutual aid on scene was provided by Londonderry and Salem.

The cause of the fire was investigated and determined to be accidental.

Number of Alarms-- 1

Responding Apparatus – 8

Responding Personnel – 29

Civilians Injured – 0

Fire Personnel Injured – 0

Fire Officer Submitting Release: Battalion Chief William Gillis