



## NEWS RELEASE

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The Portage Department of Public Safety Fire Division responded to a garage fire in the 6600 block of Brigham at approximately 7:45 p.m. Fire units were able to control the fire within five minutes after the first unit arrived. The homeowners were home at the time of the fire and reported the fire. The damage to the garage and two vehicles inside the garage is estimated at \$15,000. The cause of the fire is unknown at this time, and the Fire Marshal is investigating the cause.

Anyone with information is asked to call the Portage Department of Public Safety Fire Division at 329-4487 or Silent Observer at 343-2100, [www.kalamazoosilentobserver.com](http://www.kalamazoosilentobserver.com).

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