



## NEWS RELEASE

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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Case No. 16-5505

The Portage Department of Public Safety was dispatched at 5:17 p.m. to the 4700 block of Norfolk Circle for a possible structure fire. The first arriving unit reported a single story duplex with smoke showing from the structure. Crews were able to make an interior attack and found a small kitchen fire in one unit, which was extinguished quickly. Fire crews performed a search of the structure and found no one present at the time of the fire.

Texas Township, Life EMS, and the Portage Police division assisted on the scene. Oshtemo and Comstock fire departments provided station staffing, along with off-duty Portage Fire personnel during the fire. The cause of the fire is being investigated by the Portage Fire Marshal. No injuries were reported.

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