

Press Release

11/27/19

Contact: Fire Chief Peter Polarek
815-895-4514

Incident: On Wednesday November 27, 2019 at 0742 hours, the Sycamore Fire Department was dispatched to 1144 S. Somonauk Street for a fire in the basement. On arrival, the first in Engine Company had light smoke showing. The fire was located in the basement and was extinguished within 10 minutes. Crews remained on scene for an hour performing overhaul operations. Damaged was confined to the basement and is estimated at \$20,000.

Injuries: There were no injuries to firefighters or residents.

Assistance at Scene This fire went to the general alarm level. DeKalb Fire and GK Fire assisted at the scene, and Elburn & Countryside Fire Protection District and Burlington Community Fire Protection District filled our quarters.

Cause: The cause appears to be electrical in nature, and is under further investigation.