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Structure Fire

At approximately 10:04 hours on January 28, 2021, the Kearney Volunteer Fire Department was dispatched to a structure fire at a residence located at 1215 4th Avenue, in South Kearney. Kearney Police Officers and Good Samaritan ambulance also responded to that location. Upon arrival, it was found that the residence was fully engulfed in flames.

While attacking the structure fire, KVFD located an adult female subject inside the residence. A woman in her 70's was transported by ambulance to CHI Good Samaritan Hospital to be treated for potential life-threatening injuries. Two Kearney Police Officers are also being treated at CHI Good Samaritan Hospital for smoke inhalation as they were the first to arrive on scene and briefly entered the structure in an attempt to locate residents.

This fire scene is being investigated by the Kearney Volunteer Fire Department and the Nebraska State Fire Marshal's Office.

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