MEDIA ALERT

For Immediate Release
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Joplin Fire Department

Structure Fire, 2202 S Adele Ave, Joplin, Mo.

The Joplin Fire Department responded to a reported Structure Fire at 2202 S Adele Ave at 5:05 AM Thursday, December 12, 2013. Fire crews arrived on the scene at 5:11 AM to find fire coming from a one-story single family dwelling, mainly from the front porch and front living area. The house suffered extensive fire, smoke and water damage. It appeared to be a total loss.

The fire was declared under control at 5:27 AM and out at 5:38 AM. Crews remained on scene until 7:42 AM.

Home ownership information is unavailable at this time.

No injuries were reported to either fire personnel or others in the area. 6 Joplin Fire units and 17 Joplin Fire personnel responded. JPD blocked Main Street during fire operations and METS stood by if needed. The Red Cross was called to assist with any needs of the occupants.

The cause of the fire was still under investigation at the time of this writing.

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