



Garden Grove Fire Department
 Station: **G03**
 Shifts Or Platoon: **B**

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| Location: 11551 TRASK AVE GARDEN GROVE CA 92843 | Incident Type: 137 - Camper or recreational vehicle (RV) fire |
| Lat/Long: N 33° 46' 2.89" W 117° 55' 40.52" | FDID: 30035 Incident #: 2018-812228 Exposure ID: 35209017 Exposure #: 0 Incident Date: 10/15/2018 Dispatch Run #: F182880340 |
| Location Type: 1 - Street address Map Page: 798H7 | |

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| Report Completed by: | Ruzicka , Dennis | ID: 1990 | Date: 10/16/2018 |
| Report Reviewed by: | Not Reviewed | | |
| Report Printed by: | Guardi, Lisa | ID: 4433 | Date: 10/18/2018 Time: 10:16 |

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| Structure Type: | Property Use: 935 - Campsite with utilities | | |
| Automatic Extinguishment System Present: <input type="checkbox"/> | Detectors Present: <input type="checkbox"/> | Cause of Ignition: Cause undetermined after investigation | |
| Aid Given or Received: None | Primary action taken: 10 - Fire control or extinguishment, other | | |
| Losses | Pre-Incident Values | | |
| Property: \$20,000.00 | Property: \$90,000.00 | Civilian Injuries: 0 | Fire Service Injuries: 0 |
| Contents: \$2,000.00 | Contents: \$2,000.00 | Civilian Fatalities: 0 | Fire Service Fatalities: 0 |
| Total: \$22,000.00 | Total: \$92,000.00 | Total Casualties: 0 | Total Fire Service Casualties: 0 |
| Total # of apparatus on call: | 1 | Total # of personnel on call: | 3 |

Narrative from dispatch:

NARRATIVE (2)**Narrative Title:** Fire**Narrative Author:** Ruzicka, Dennis**Narrative Date:** 10/16/2018 23:01:08**Narrative Apparatus ID:** GE3**Narrative:**

GE3 responded to the reported location for a RV on fire. GE3 arrived on scene at the Elks Lodge and observed a white Thor "Four Winds" 023U RV in space 12 charged with smoke on the inside with a smoke detector sounding. A male subject was using a garden hose and directing water into the RV through a window that was open. GE3 personnel pulled a hose line off the fire engine and entered the RV through a man door to extinguish the smoldering items inside. The fire had been extinguished by the application of the garden hose prior to our arrival. Smoldering seat cushions were removed and placed outside on the blacktop. The RV batteries were disconnected and secured by GE3 personnel. We were informed that the propane gas was shut down and the electrical shore line was disconnected from the campsite outlet prior to our arrival. GE3 used a hose line to overhaul and make sure all hot and smoldering items were extinguished. The RV was a rental unit from El Monte RV rented by: Lori Kisner. Lori stated that she had just arrived at the Garden Grove Elks from Julian CA. where she had been camping prior. Lori had parked and set up camp making electrical hookup and water connections. After spending some time in the RV she left and went inside the Elks Lodge to eat. Chuck Sandoval was inside his RV in space 13 when he was alerted that the RV next to him was on fire. Chuck grabbed a garden hose and began applying water into the RV through an open window in an attempt to extinguish the fire. He also called 911 to report the fire. Chuck and a bystander made sure the electrical shore line was disconnected and the propane was shut off to the RV. Lori was alerted and came outside the Elks Lodge to see the rented RV full of smoke. GE3 Captain investigated the RV for cause and origin. Lori was asked if herself or anyone in the RV had been smoking and she said no. The fire originated in the dinning area seat enclosure below the seat cushions. The fire then spread up and out of this area to the foam seat cushions above it. The inverter/charger and panel/shore line are mounted under the dinning table seat cushion. I am unable to eliminate and rule out failure of the inverter/charger or panel due to the amount of damage to the electrical components. The first item ignited or responsible for ignition was undetermined, but electrical failure/overheating of the power inverter or panel is a probable cause. GE3 complete.

Captain. Dennis Ruzicka

APPARATUS

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| Unit | GE3 |
| Type: | Engine |
| Use: | Suppression |
| Response Mode: | () |
| # of People | 3 |
| Alarm | 10 /15/2018 17:03:50 |
| Dispatched | 10 /15/2018 17:05:46 |
| Enroute | 10 /15/2018 17:06:28 |
| Arrived | 10 /15/2018 17:09:45 |
| Cancelled | -- /-- /-- -- :-- :-- |
| Cleared Scene | 10 /15/2018 17:48:59 |
| In Quarters | -- /-- /-- -- :-- :-- |
| In Service | -- /-- /-- -- :-- :-- |

Number Of People not on apparatus: 0**FIRE**

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| Acres Burned | None or Less Than One | Acres Burn From Wildland Form | False |
| Area Of Fire Origin | Vehicle area, other | Heat Source | Undetermined |
| Item First Ignited | Undetermined | Fire Is Confined To Object Of Origin | |
| Type Of Material | Undetermined | Cause Of Ignition | Cause undetermined after investigation |
| Factor Contributing To Ignition | Electrical failure, malfunction, other | | |
| Human Factors Contributing | None | | |
| Mobile Property Involve And Type | Involved in ignition and burned | Mobile Property Type | Motor home, camper, bookmobile. |
| Mobile Property Make | Ford | Mobile Property Year | 2018 |
| Mobile Property Model | Four Winds 023U | License Plate | 8DCY868 |
| State | CA | VIN | 1FDWE3FS8JDC09904 |

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| Agency Name | Agency Address | Agency Phone |
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CUSTOM FIELDS FORM

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| What happened? | We provided fire and rescue service |
| Was this patient homeless? | Not applicable |
| Fire Incident - What happened? | We investigated - company officer determined cause |

PERSONNEL ON CALL

| Name | Personnel Rank | Role(s) | Apparatus |
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| Marquez Jr., John M | Engineer | | GE3 |
| Noble, Grant A | Firefighter / Paramedic | | GE3 |
| Ruzicka, Dennis | Captain | | GE3 |