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Fire displaces five in Wainiha

WAINHA – A fire in Wainiha on Monday displaced five people.

No Injuries were reported. However, volunteers with the America Red Cross assisted the displaced individuals.

Firefighters responded to a report of a structure fire to a two-story dwelling in Wainiha on Anahulu Street at approximately 3 p.m. on Monday.

Personnel from the Kaiākea and Hanalei fire stations, Rescue 3, Fire Prevention Bureau, the on-duty Battalion Chief, Kaua‘i Police Department, Kaua‘i Island Utility Cooperative, and American Medical Response responded to the incident.

According to a preliminary report, upon arrival, fire personnel discovered the dwelling fully engulfed in flames. No residents were in the home at the time of arrival. Fire personnel established a water supply via a fire hydrant and proceeded to extinguish the fire.

Fire personnel cleared the scene at approximately 5:20 p.m.

Damages are estimated at $300,000.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation.