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Fire displaces three in Waimea

WAIMEA – A fire in Waimea on Wednesday displaced three 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 single-story dwelling in Waimea at approximately 7:10 p.m. on Wednesday.

Four personnel from the Waimea fire station responded to the incident.

Firefighters arrived on scene at approximately 7:15 p.m.

According to a preliminary report, upon arrival, fire personnel were waved down by bystanders and noticed no fire to the structure. However, light traces of smoke from the residence were observed by firefighters.

As fire personnel investigated the area, they observed a room that sustained fire and smoke damage.

According to a preliminary report, the fire was extinguished utilizing two dry chemical fire extinguishers by the building's owner and an occupant.

Fire personnel cleared the scene at approximately 8 p.m.

Damages are estimated at \$5,000.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation.

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