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Firefighters extinguish structure fire in Wailua on Saturday

WAILUA – Firefighters responded to a structure fire Saturday that broke out in a two-story residence in Wailua.

No one was home at the time and no injuries were reported. However, two cats appeared to have died as a result.

Multiple units from the Kaiākea, Kapa'a, and Līhu'e fire stations, along with the on-duty Battalion Chief, were dispatched to the scene on Lokomaika'i Place at approximately 11:20 a.m.

Once on scene, firefighters found the first floor of the structure, in the garage area, fully involved in flames. They brought the blaze under control in roughly 20 minutes and continued to fully extinguish the fire shortly after. Personnel also ensured there was no fire extension in the ceiling.

Responding units cleared the scene at approximately 1 p.m., while fire prevention personnel remained on scene to conduct their investigation.

Damages to the structure and its contents are estimated to be roughly \$470,000.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation.



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