



ST. LOUIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS RELEASE

INCIDENT DATE: 11/22/2014 INCIDENT TIME: 0151

INCIDENT LOCATION: 2740 Lauren Road, Lakewood Township

INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED: (Refer to News Media Policy-Rules III A.1 Thru 4: Procedures B.1, A thru J & 1; 2b; 3b; g & h; 4a, b, & c)

Name: Male Age: 62 Address: 2740 Lauren Road, Lakewood

Name: Female Age: 62 Address: 2740 Lauren Road, Lakewood

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

St. Louis County Sheriff's Deputies along with Lakewood Fire Department responded to a structure fire at 2740 Lauren Road in Lakewood Township. The residents, who were asleep in the upstairs portion of the residence, managed to escape uninjured after smelling smoke and hearing the fire, although the family dog is believed to have perished in the fire. When personnel from the Lakewood Fire Department arrived, flames were seen throughout the basement of the residence. The fire is believed to have started in the basement. Although the cause of the fire has not been determined at this time, Arson is not suspected. The fire caused significant damage to the interior of the residence prior to being extinguished and the loss has not been determined.

ASSISTING AGENCIES:

Canosia Fire Department, Rice Lake Fire Department, Two Harbors Fire Department, Clifton Fire Department, Normanna Fire Department, Gnossen Fire Department, Air National Guard Fire Response and St. Louis County Public Works.

AUTHORITY: Sgt. Steve Borchers DATE: 11/22/2014 TIME: 0451

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR UPDATE:

AUTHORITY: _____ DATE: _____ TIME: _____