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TVF&R Firefighters Extinguish Kitchen Fire, Save Home in Beaverton

Firefighters from TVF&R's Station 64 attacked and extinguished a fire in the kitchen of a home in Beaverton this morning. A resident tells firefighters that she had been cooking before leaving the home to take a child to school. When she returned home and opened the door less than half an hour later, she was met by a wall of smoke and heat. WCCCA dispatched TVF&R to the scene at 9:13 a.m.

Engine 64 arrived at the home located at 997 SW 179th Avenue 6 minutes later, quickly pulled a hose into the home and extinguished the fire. There is smoke and heat damage to the kitchen area as well as several rooms in the home. The occupant is a renter and does have renters insurance.

A fire investigator has determined that the fire's area of origin is in the kitchen and is now working to officially determine the cause of the fire.



A TVF&R investigator and a Hillsboro Battalion Chief confer in front of the damaged home.