



## News Release

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### **Mother and Child Escape Burning Car After Crash**

At 5:35 am, Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue firefighters were called to a reported car crash on Farmington Road between 209th and Clark Hill Road. When the crew from Station 62, located just minutes away on 209th Avenue arrived at the crash scene, they found a fully involved vehicle. Fortunately, the driver, a young pregnant female, and male child (estimated to be three or four years old), had safely escaped the car crash and were waiting in the vehicle of an Oregonian delivery person.

Firefighters assessed the mother and child and quickly extinguished the car fire. The mother and child were transported to OHSU as a precautionary measure.

The vehicle sustained significant engine compartment damage from the impact into a tree, which likely caused and contributed to the fire spreading so quickly.

The Washington County Sheriff's Office is investigating the cause of the crash.

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