



# Press Release

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## **Early Morning Structure Fire displaces one person!**

*Belmont, CA --*

An early morning structure fire at 3308 Plateau Drive in Belmont displaced an elderly woman this morning.

The Belmont-San Carlos Fire Department responded to a working structure fire at 3308 Plateau Drive at 6:50 a.m. A 77-year-old female occupant was still in the structure at the time of the fire. Neighbors assisted in guiding the elderly woman to safety. The first engine arrived to find a well-involved structure fire. They immediately called for a second alarm response

Firefighters from San Mateo, Foster City, Redwood City, Woodside and CAL Fire assisted the Belmont-San Carlos Fire Department in containing the blaze by bringing it under control in about 30 minutes

One firefighter suffered minor burns and scrapes as he fell through the floor on the interior of the structure. He was treated and released after being transported to Sequoia Hospital. Damage estimates are at \$1,250,000.00. \$1,000,000.00 for the structure and \$250,000.00 for the contents. The fire is currently under investigation; it is not considered suspicious at this time.

Units Responded:

Belmont-San Carlos FD  
E15, E14, E16, T13, BC4, CH4

Foster City Fire  
BC6

San Mateo Fire  
E27, E23, E25, BC5, PR5

Redwood City Fire  
T9, BC3, TO3

Woodside Fire

WT8

CAL Fire

E17, E217, BC12, BS17, E18

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