



CITY OF CONCORD

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Fire Department

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Two Fires Require Full Fire Department Responses

CONCORD, NH (March 30, 2021) – Two fires in the City on Monday required the responses from all on duty Fire Department units. The first call to 26 Commercial Street came in through a fire alarm activation at 7:54 a.m. The first arriving companies encountered significant smoke conditions on the second and third floors of the Horseshoe Pond Place Apartments, causing an upgrade to a building fire response. The building was evacuated while crews worked to find the source of the smoke. A motor on a concealed HVAC unit had caught fire and burned wiring and insulation around the unit. All residents were eventually able to reoccupy their units. At 3:42 p.m., companies were dispatched to a motor vehicle fire at 24 Loudon Road. Due to the reported proximity of the vehicle to an adjacent building, a full building fire response was dispatched. Engine 7, from the Heights Fire Station, arrived on scene and quickly extinguished the fire and prevented extension to the building. There were no civilian or firefighter injuries at either incident.

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If you require further information about this incident, please contact Chief Sean Brown at 603-230-3801, or sbrown@concordnh.gov.