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House fire at Pearl City Peninsula

PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM -- At approximately 3:30 a.m. on July 15, the Honolulu Fire Dept. responded to a house fire at Navy family housing on Pearl City Peninsula. The first floor and garage of one unit was heavily damaged; three adjoining units received smoke and water damage. No injuries were reported.

A total of 11 people were affected by the fire: a family of four, a family of three and two families of two. The Red Cross, Forest City Military Communities and Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam representatives are assisting the four affected families with temporary lodging and other needs. The family of three opted to return to their home after it was determined safe to do so.

Initial reports indicate the fire began in a carport however the cause of the fire is still under investigation. The fire was extinguished at approximately 4:15.