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Homeowner Alerts Firefighters to House Fire

Shreveport, LA- On Thursday September 25, 2025 at 3:09 p.m. Shreveport Fire Department received a report of a house fire in the 1200 block of Hawkins Ave. Crews were alerted to the house fire by the home owner who drove to the fire station #6 for help due to the 911 phone system malfunctions that interrupted emergency services notifications across the state and region.

Engine 6 arrived on scene within 4 minutes and reported heavy smoke coming from the eaves of the home. Crews made entry into the home and were able to locate and isolate the fire to the attic area of the home. It took the efforts of 9 units, 27 firefighters, to bring the incident under control at 3:45 p.m.

There have been no reports of any injuries to citizens or firefighters at this time. The origin and cause of the blaze remain under investigation at this time by Shreveport Fire Department Arson Investigators.

If you are in need of a smoke alarm or would like more information on fire safety please contact our Shreveport Fire Prevention Bureau at (318)673-6740 or visit our website at www.shreveportfire.org.

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