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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## **Property Damage Structure Fire**

For Immediate Release

Date: 09/11/2024 Case: SO2438216 **Contact Person** 

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On September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at approximately 6:14 am, Rock County Sheriff's Office Deputies and area fire personnel responded to 6307 W STH 59, in the Town of Fulton, for a working structure fire. Deputies observed a fully engulfed vehicle inside a large metal building on the extensive property.

Janesville Fire Department, Lakeside Fire Department, Town of Beloit Fire Department, Evansville Department, Footville Fire Department, Orfordville Fire Department, Stoughton Fire Department, Deerfield Fire Department, Lake Mills Fire Department, Brooklyn Fire Department, Whitewater Fire Department, Oregon Fire Department, Cottage Grove Fire Department and Fort Atkinson responded and extinguished the flames. The building and contents are considered a total loss.

There was no loss of life or injuries to persons on scene or involved in fighting the fire. Estimated damage amount was \$2,000,000.00 to all property involved. Preliminary investigation indicated possible ignition source from the vehicle parked inside the building.

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By: Sergeant David E. Rossmiller

