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South Wheeling House Fire

Shortly after 3 a.m. Saturday, June 23, the Wheeling Fire Department responded to a house fire in the 4500 block of Water Street in South Wheeling.

When the initial response crew arrived, heavy smoke and flames were coming from the first floor of the house.

One person was inside and was able to escape unharmed. The department's fire investigator believes the fire started on the first floor, but a cause has not yet been determined.

Engine Co.'s 2, 4, 5, Ladder 1, Rescue 1, Squad's 1 and 2 responded to the fire.

The house is most likely a complete loss.

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