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District Responds to Engulfed Mobile Home in Chilhowee

CHILHOWEE, MO – At 2:53 AM on April 6, 2016, Johnson County Fire Protection District's Stations 3 (Chilhowee), 9 (Cornelia) and 10 (Warrensburg) were dispatched to a residential structure fire in the 100 block of West Walnut Street in Chilhowee. Personnel were advised the structure was fully engulfed while responding.

Personnel from Station 3 arrived at 3:03 AM to find an unoccupied single-wide mobile home fully engulfed in fire. Crews utilized an exterior fire attack to extinguish the structure and surrounding vegetation.

Crews remained on scene until shortly after 5:00 AM. The structure was a total loss.

The cause of the fire is under investigation by JCFPD fire investigators.

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