

Eau Claire Fire & Rescue
News Media Report



Date: 07/21/19 Dispatch Time: 15:16 Incident Number: 19 - 5203

Location: Eau Claire River

Incident type: Fire Hazardous Materials Mass Casualty
 Auto Casualty Other Rescue

Alarms: 1st Alarm 2nd Alarm 3rd Alarm Special Call

Engine(s) Responding: 3 Rescue/Medical vehicle(s): 1

Command Vehicle(s): 2 Number of Personnel Responding: 13

Injuries: Civilian(s) 0 Firefighter(s): 0

Transported by Ambulance: Yes (number _____) No Where: NA

Fatalities: Yes (number _____) No

Evacuation: Yes No Comments:

Relocation: Yes No Note:

Mutual Aid: Given Received (units) N/A

Business Name:

Occupant Information

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Property Owner Information

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Structure Type: Area of Origin:

Under Investigation: Yes No By Whom:

Probable Cause:

Damage Estimate: \$ (structure & contents)

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Narrative:

The Eau Claire Fire Department responded for an person in distress operating a Kayak in the Eau Claire River.

One person was rescued near the South bank of the river between the S-Bridge and Boyd Park by a crew of Eau Claire Firefighters and Police Officers.

The Kayak was recovered by an Eau Claire Fire Department boat.

An Eau Claire Fire Department ambulance was also on scene, however, medical treatment was not required.

Conditions in the river are always unpredictable and numerous hazards exist.

*Officer: Battalion Chief Steve Vargo
Eau Claire Fire Department*