



# Eau Claire Fire Department

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Eau Claire, WI 54701

## MEDIA RELEASE

<b>DATE:</b> 05/20/2024	<b>CONTACT:</b> Deputy Chief Tony Biasi
<b>DISPATCH TIME:</b> 14:16hrs	<b>PHONE #:</b> 715.839.5013
<b>INCIDENT NO.:</b> 24-4075	<b># PAGES:</b> 2

**LOCATION:** 1907 S. Hastings Way

**INCIDENT TYPE:**  Fire  Water/Ice  Hazardous Materials  Mass Casualty  Other

**ALARMS:**  1<sup>st</sup> Alarm  2<sup>nd</sup> Alarm  Special Call  MABAS

**ENGINE/TRUCK(S) RESPONDING:** 3 **RESCUE/MEDICAL VEHICLE(S) RESPONDING:** 0

**COMMAND VEHICLE:** 1 **PERSONNEL RESPONDING:** 10

**INJURIES:** Civilian: 0 Firefighter: 0

**TRANSPORTED BY AMBULANCE:**  Yes (#: )  No **WHERE TRANSPORTED:** N/A

**FATALITIES:**  Yes (#: )  No

**EVACUATION:**  Yes  No **Comments:** PARTIAL EVACUATION OF IMMEDIATE AREA

**RELOCATION:**  Yes  No **Comments:**

**MUTUAL AID:**  Given  Received  NA

**BUSINESS NAME:** WEAU TV 13

**Occupant:**

Name: TERRY McHUGH

Address: 1907 S. HASTINGS WAY

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**Property Owner:**

Name:

Address:

Phone:

**STRUCTURE TYPE:**

**AREA OF ORIGIN:**

**UNDER INVESTIGATION:**  Yes  No

**BY WHOM:**

**PROBABLE CAUSE:**

**DAMAGE ESTIMATE: \$**

(structure and contents)

**NARRATIVE:**

On May 20, 2024, 1416hrs, the Eau Claire Fire Department was requested to respond to 1907 S. Hastings Way, WEAU TV 13 for a hazardous materials investigation of an unknown substance. Upon arrival, fire crews collected an envelope containing an unknown substance and obtained a sample for analysis. Further investigation determined the material was a non-hazardous food substance. The Eau Claire Fire Department was assisted by multiple agencies including the Eau Claire Police Department, WI Department of Health Services (DHS), WI State Laboratory of Hygiene (WSLH), Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and the US Postal Inspection Service. Currently, there is no articulated threat to the community.

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