



## Green Bay Fire Department Media Release



### For Immediate Release

**Date:** 9/5/2011

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### Cornelius Drive Basement Fire

At 5:52 PM today, 09/05/2011, the Green Bay Fire Department was dispatched to a report of a fire in a basement. Initial arriving fire crew reported smoke coming from the building and occupants outside. Lines were pulled and an interior attack was made. The fire was controlled in about 15 minutes. Crews spent about an hour and a half overhauling the fire area to ensure the fire was completely out. All occupants were out of the building on our arrival and no civilian injuries were reported. 1 FF was transported for evaluation. 21 Fire Department personnel responded with 8 Fire Department vehicles. The GBFD was assisted by the Green Bay Police Department, DPW and WPS. The occupants of the home were displaced and planned to stay with family members in the city. Approximately \$160,000.00 was saved due to fire fighting efforts.

### Incident Information

**Incident Date:** 9/5/2011

**Incident Address:** 590 Cornelius Drive

**Incident Times:** 5:52 PM

**Incident Description:** Basement Fire

**Cause of Fire:** Under investigation

**Origin of Fire:** Basement

**Estimated Dollar Loss:** \$30,000.00

**Injuries:** 1 FF injury

**Incident Number:** 1107111

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