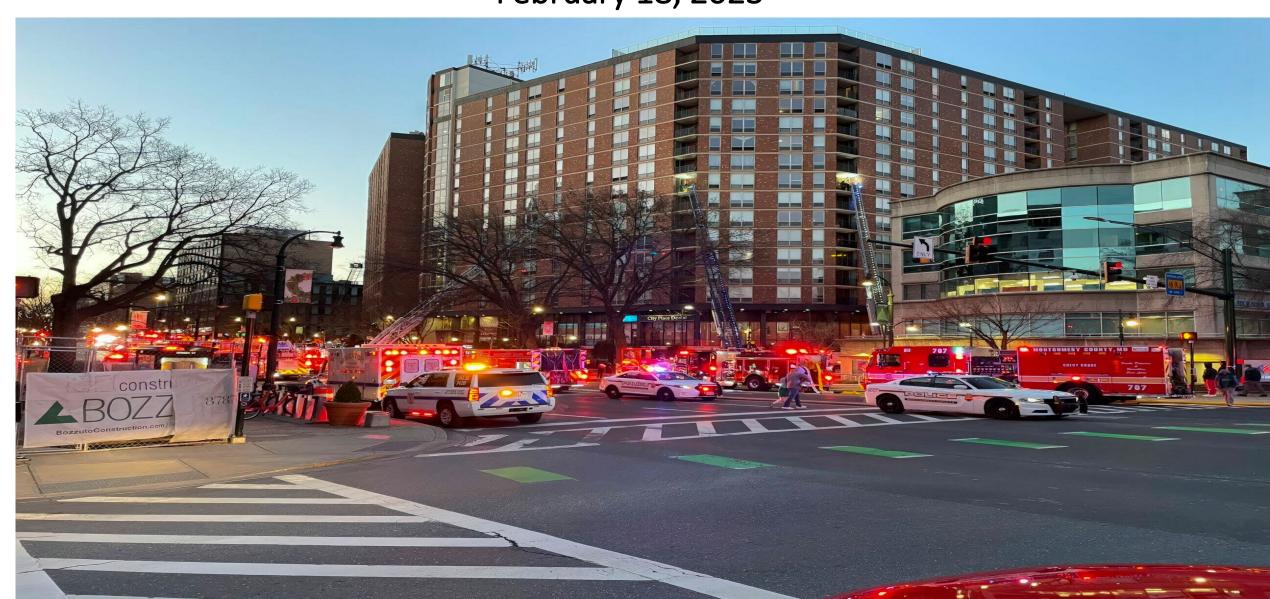
ARRIVE Apartment Fire

February 18, 2023



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- Location: 8750 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, MD
- 16 story apartment complex, with 891 units, built in 1968.

Fire details, February 18, 2023

- 0600: 911 initial dispatch to MCFRS
- 0615: MCFRS calls for a 2nd alarm
- MCPD closes Georgia Avenue, between Spring and Cameron streets
- 0633: MCFRS calls for a 3rd alarm



ARRIVE Apartment Fire

- Fire in one apartment, on the 7th floor
- Apt. resident attempted to fight the fire.
- Smoke alarm non-functional & No Sprinklers
- 1 fatality (11th floor resident) + her 2 dogs.
- 20 persons seen at area hospitals including 3 firefighters
- 200+ evacuees at reception center at Double Tree Hotel



Recovery

- ESF 6 Mass Care, Sheltering lead arrived at a 8 am.
- Resource/Service Navigators arrived by 10 am and started registering affected residents.
- 10:30 am Gwendolyn Coffield Rec Center opened as receoption center
- Feb 22 learned 88 families displaced (98 adults, 10 children)
- Feb 28 first Disaster Assistance Center (DAC)
- March 2 learned an additional 15 families were displaced total 103
- March 13 second DAC
- As of yesterday 94 families rehoused, 2 awaiting permanent housing, 7 have no requested housing assistance.

Disaster Assistance Center

- Partners included:
 - Salvation Army
 - MHP \$
 - Tzu Chi \$
 - Silver Spring Cares \$
 - Silver Spring Hub/Clifton Park Baptist Church
 - Red Cross
 - ESCVs
 - Hope Crisis Dogs
 - MANNA

- CYFS
- MCPS
- Renters Alliance
- Crisis Center
- TESS Team
- Md Insurance Admin.
- MDH
- MDHR
- MCPS
- A Wider Circle
- Landlord/Tenant Affairs





