



## News Release

# FALL RIVER COUNTY

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### **Structure Fire at 27097 RIDGEVIEW SPRINGS**

A structure fire was reported to the Fall River County Dispatch at 6:46AM on March 21, 2024. The original 911 call was made by the lone resident of the home, located at 27097 Ridgeview Springs Rd. The Hot Springs VFD (Volunteer Fire Department) was dispatched to the residence. Prior to the arrival of the Hot Springs VFD, they put out a request for mutual aid in which the Hot Springs VA Fire Department, Minnekahta VFD, Argyle VFD and Pringle VFD responded along with the Hot Springs Ambulance Service.

The male occupant of the residence was able to get out of the structure and was transported to Fall River hospital with minor injuries. The owner of the property is listed as Jacki Miller.

The fire was knocked down at 8:38 AM with all units released at 9:56AM. Responders went out to check on the fire later in the evening and there were no signs of fire activity.

On March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4:04AM, a 911 call was received from a neighbor advising that the caller could see flames and smoke coming from the residence. The Hot Springs VFD was paged out followed by a request for mutual aid. The Hot Springs Ambulance was also paged out but was later released. At 7:02 the scene was again released and the structure was deemed a complete loss.

Fire fighters from Hot Springs, Minnekahta, Pringle, Argyle as well as South Dakota Wildland Fire assisted in the fire suppression. The structure is located just inside Custer County, and therefore the Custer County Sheriff's Office will oversee the investigation alongside the State Fire Marshall.

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