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# NEWS

## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Firefighters Airlift Resident from Fully Involved RV Fire**

Friday, September 13, 2024, at 12:05 pm, Clallam County Fire District #3 Units were dispatched to 1194 Taylor Cut-Off Road for a structure fire in an RV used as a primary residence.

CCFD#3 Battalion Chief, Engine 33 (Carlsborg Station), Medic 34 (in an Olympic Ambulance returning from a previous Olympic Memorial Hospital transport) arrived at a small private RV park where one of the Fifth Wheel trailers was fully involved with fire and the neighbors were tending to an individual laying in the grass nearby.

Medic 34 initiated patient care and determined that Life Flight would be needed to transport the individual to Harborview Medical Center in Seattle for burn treatment. Engine 33 and their crew began fire-attack and had a rapid knockdown of the flames that had consumed over 75% of the mobile home. In addition, firefighters from Station 34, in Sequim, responded with an additional engine and water tender. Volunteer firefighters, all eight responding from home, provided support through scene control, staffing back-up handlines, firefighter rehab, investigation, and clean up. Overall, approximately 1100 gallons of water was used to extinguish the fire. Olympic Ambulance and Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife also provided needed assistance throughout the emergency.

The fire is under investigation by CCFD#3 fire investigators. The 35' Kit Companion Fifth Wheel and contents are a total loss.

Questions may be directed to Battalion Chief, Chris Turner at (360) 683-4242. Ext. 132.

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### 1194 Taylor Cut-Off Rd (Location of RV Fire)



*Figure 1: Engine 33 crew preparing for fire attack*



*Figure 2: EMS and Fire Attack being performed.*

(Photo Credit BC Chris Turner)