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## FIRE ENGULFS JOHN ST. HOME, **NO INJURIES** REPORTED

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No injuries were reported after a Georgetown home caught fire Monday morning.

Flames were already visible through the roof of the John St. home when the Halton Hills Fire Department arrived shortly after receiving the call at 8:38 a.m.; the home had two residences, but the fire department reported that no one was home at the time of the fire.

Firefighters began an aggressive interior attack, but the fire quickly spread between the walls and into the attic. As a result, the firefighters were removed from the house and the aerial truck was brought in to fight the fire from above, as well as a few lines fighting the fire from the back of the house.

Smoke was still billowing from the  $home\ three\ hours\ later, as\ firefighters$ worked to locate any hot spots that might reignite the fire.

More than 30 firefighters and 12 trucks from all three Halton Hills stations were on scene to battle the fire.

Halton police closed off a section of John St. between College and Victoria St., while firefighters brought the fire under control.



Halton Hills Fire Department photo

Halton Hills firefighters use an aerial truck to fight Monday morning's fire at a John St. Georgetown home. No injuries were reported but the fire caused extensive damage to the home.







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