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**CAROLINA FIRE & RESCUE JOURNAL MAJOR INCIDENT LOG**

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**RALEIGH, NC**

December 18, 2000

2 Alarms

Hempshire Place

*Two story apartment complex, heavy fire in two units.*

**ELM CITY, NC**

December 19, 2000

2 Alarms

Lake Wilson Road

*Companies had a one story wood frame dwelling with partial roof collapse. Foam used, along with seven tankers running water shuttles.*

**PROVIDENCE FD, UNION COUNTY, NC**

December 20, 2000

2 Alarms

Greenbrook Parkway

*Two story 5,000 square foot dwelling. Heavy fire conditions required mutual aid from Charlotte, Stallings, Matthews and Waxhaw.*

**LUMBERTON, NC**

December 20, 2000

2 Alarms

West 5<sup>th</sup> Street

*Defensive operations at a car dealership.*

**CHARLESTON, SC**

December 21, 2000

2 Alarms

Etiwan Avenue

*Heavy fire conditions in a two story brick apartment building.*

**RALEIGH, NC**

December 23, 2000

2 Alarms

Farrior Road

*Four firefighters briefly trapped when the floor collapsed at a brick duplex. No injuries.*

**CARY, NC**

December 25, 2000

3 Alarms

Fairbanks Road

*Extensive mutual aid required for heavy fire conditions in a large two-story dwelling. Cause: malfunctioning fireplace.*

**MOUNT PLEASANT, SC**

December 25, 2000

2 Alarms

Planters Point Blvd.

*Defensive operations at a two-story wood frame dwelling.*

**NORTH CHARLESTON, SC**

December 25, 2000

2 Alarms

Spruill Street

*Companies had heavy fire conditions in a one-story concrete block abandoned nightclub.*

**CHARLESTON, SC**

December 25, 2000

2 Alarms

King Street

*Heavy fire on arrival at a two story brick and wood apartments over commercial occupancy. Aggressive interior attack.*

**FIRE DISTRICT 13, GUILFORD COUNTY, NC**

December 27, 2000

2 Alarms

Plainfield Road

*Nine stations responded to a large two story dwelling fire. Dump tank operations.*

**LARINBURG RURAL FD, SCOTLAND COUNTY, NC**

December 27, 2000

Multiple Alarm

Old Maxton Road

*Propane tanker truck fire required mutual aid from Robeson, Hoke, Richmond and Moore counties.*

**NEW HOPE FD, ORANGE COUNTY, NC**

December 28, 2000

2 Alarms

Stoneridge Drive

*A house fire required mutual aid from four departments*

**DURHAM, NC**

December 31, 2000

3 Alarms

Chapel Hill Blvd.

*Heavy fire conditions in the ceiling void of a bowling alley.*

**ISLE OF PALMS, SC**

December 31, 2000

3 Alarms

Racquet Club Road

*Defensive operations at a three-story wood frame apartment complex.*

**FUQUAY VARINA, NC**

January 9, 2001

2 Alarms

Phelps Road

*Water problems hampered operations at a large unoccupied house fire.*

**FAYETTEVILLE, NC**

January 13, 2001

2 Alarms

McPherson Church Road

*Heavy fire through the roof of a two-story apartment building. Large apartment complex the scene of many previous multiple alarm fires.*

**BATTLEBORO, NC**

January 19, 2001

3 Alarms

Highway 301

*Six departments required for a fire at a log home manufacturing facility. Numerous special calls for tankers.*

**CHERRYVILLE, NC**

January 20, 2001

Multiple Alarm

Main Street

*Heavy fire conditions in an abandoned factory. 100+ firefighters from Gaston and Lincoln counties.*

**EAST NASH FD, NASH COUNTY, NC**

2 Alarms

Highway 301

*Fire in a commercial occupancy. Mutual aid from City of Wilson with a quint and two squads.*

**SWEPSONVILLE, NC**

January 27, 2001

2 Alarms

Hidden River Trail

*Six mobile homes on fire.*

**COLLETON COUNTY, SC**

February 3, 2001

3 Alarms

Augusta Highway

*Companies had three building fully involved. Fire originally reported by a volunteer firefighter. Seven stations working with tanker shuttles.*

**PINECROFT SEDGEFIELD FD, GUILFORD COUNTY, NC**

February 3, 2001

3 Alarms

Drummon Road

*Tanker operations at a large junkyard fire.*

**LEXINGTON COUNTY, SC**

February 7, 2001

2 Alarm Haz-Mat

Bon Homme Richard Road

*3,000-gallon tank of Aluminum Alkyl. Special calls for dry chemical extinguishers and Air Force ARFF equipment.*

**RALEIGH, NC**

February 8, 2001

2 Alarms

Gaston Wood Court

*Two large under construction brick town homes well involved. Extension to a third unit.*

**CHAPEL HILL, NC**

February 12, 2001

2 Alarms

Pearl Lane

*Heavy fire in the attic of a house. Required mutual aid tankers.*

**ELM CITY, NC**

February 13, 2001

2 Alarm Haz-Mat

Parker Street

*Fire in drums of Methyl Ethyl Ketone at a large wire and cable manufacturing plant. Extensive mutual aid used. Two water supplies established.*

**FAYETTEVILLE, NC**

February 16, 2001

2 Alarms

Tamarack Drive

*Very heavy fire conditions in an occupied three-story apartment complex. Access problems. Twenty-four civilians displaced.*

**SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SC**

February 17, 2001

2 Alarms

Southport Road

*Fire through the roof of a chemical plant. Over three hours to control the fire. Evacuations of surrounding neighborhoods.*

**CHARLOTTE, NC**

February 19, 2001

2 Alarms

East Worthington

*Two firefighters injured while fighting fire in a two-story boarding house. Companies withdrawn after partial roof collapse.*

**SPENCER, NC**

February 20, 2001

3 Alarms

Salisbury Ave

*Two story brick antique furniture store. Heavy fire conditions fought by over seventeen fire units.*

**DURHAM, NC**

February 21, 2001

2 Alarms

Tarleton West

*Three story apartment building with heavy fire conditions. Eight families displaced.*

**MEBANE, NC**

February 21, 2001

2 Alarms

West Lebanon Road

*Mutual aid required from three departments for a fire in a two story brick dwelling.*

**NORTH CHARLESTON, SC**

February 21, 2001

5 Alarms

Rivers Avenue

*Very large wood frame building at flea market. Five firefighters injured. Recall of off-duty firefighters and mutual aid for coverage.*

**WILSON, NC**

February 22, 2001

2 Alarms

Banks Street

*Cold weather and ice hampered operations at a well-involved two-story frame dwelling. Exposure problems.*

**GREENSBORO, NC**

February 27, 2001

2 Alarms

Markham Road

*One story house fully involved with extension to buildings on both sides.*

**SIMPSON FD, PITT COUNTY, NC**

February 27, 2001

2 Alarm Haz-Mat

Center Street

*Quarter mile evacuation ordered for tanker leaking unknown chemical. Four departments mutual aid.*

**CHARLOTTE, NC**

February 28, 2001

2 Alarms

East Blvd.

*Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police reported a fire in a 4,000 square foot Victorian converted to offices. Fire on the second floor, roof and attic areas.*

**CHARLESTON, SC**

February 28, 2001

2 Alarms

Wentworth Street

*Two story masonry building, heavy fire conditions.*

**MONCURE, NC**

March 5, 2001

2 Alarms

Corinth Road

*Large industrial plant fire. Evacuation tones sounded. Mutual aid from Lee County as well as numerous Chatham County units.*

**DURHAM, NC**

March 8, 2001

2 Alarms

Chapel Hill Road

*Two story apartments, eight units damaged, at least 12 civilians displaced.*

**TIGER RIVER FD, SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SC**

March 7, 2001

2 Alarms

East Wade Hampton Blvd.

*Smoke and fire showing on arrival at a commercial occupancy.*

**RUFFIN, NC**

March 16, 2001

Multiple Fatality Fire

*Four civilians fatal in overnight house fire.*

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