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RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURE FIRE ON LIGHTHOUSE AVENUE IN PACIFIC GROVE, CALIF., FEBRUARY 23, 2025

Pacific Grove, Calif. – The Monterey Fire Department responded to a residential structure fire on Sunday, February 23, 2025, around 2:08 P.M. located at 133 Lighthouse Avenue in Pacific Grove, California. Crews arrived on scene within two and a half (2.5) minutes of the dispatch and found a single-story house on the corner of Lighthouse Avenue and Eardley Avenue with thick grey smoke pouring out of the roof vents and eaves. There were no occupants in the structure. The fire was extinguished in about 30 minutes. The fire was contained to a room adjacent to the main house with fire spread throughout the common attic. The attic contributed to the fire's spread into the kitchen area.

Twenty-five fire personnel, led by the Monterey Fire Department, responded, including three Chief Officers, six engines (one of which was from Presidio of Monterey Fire Department), and one ladder truck, as well as American Medical Response (AMR) and one Monterey Fire Investigator. The Pacific Grove Police Department and Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) responded and assisted with traffic control. No firefighter or civilian injuries were reported. The cause of the fire is currently under investigation.

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