FATALITY APARTMENT FIRE – CIMARRON PARK

For Immediate Release                                           July 13, 2013
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Conroe, TX: The City of Conroe Fire Department was notified of an apartment fire at 2201 Montgomery Park Blvd. (Cimarron Park Apartments) at approximately 2:55 am on July 13, 2013.

Conroe Police arrived first on scene and assisted with the building’s evacuation. A 67 year old female was physically removed, by police officers, through a window of the involved apartment. Conroe firefighters arrived at approximately 3:00 am and reported heavy fire from a single downstairs apartment unit. The fire was quickly attacked and declared under control at 4:18 am. The fire was contained to the apartment of origin, which sustained major fire and smoke damage. Damage to surrounding units was minimal.

The 67 year old female, removed from the apartment by Conroe Police, was found to be deceased. Her remains were sent to the Montgomery County Forensic Center for autopsy. All other occupants of the building escaped without injury. There were no reported injuries to firefighters or police officers.

The City of Conroe Fire Department Fire Marshal’s Office has begun investigation of the fire’s origin and cause. The investigation is actively ongoing. Further information, pertaining to the investigation, will be released as it becomes available.

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