



MEDIA RELEASE

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**YORK COUNTY DEPARTMENT
OF FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY**

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York County Fire and Life Safety Responds to Trailer Fire at York High School

At approximately 5:45 a.m. this morning, personnel from the York County Department of Fire and Life Safety were dispatched to a fire in the 9100 block of George Washington Memorial Highway near Falcon Road.

Upon arrival, crews encountered smoke coming from the roof of a trailer located adjacent to the York High School parking lot and well away from the school building itself. Active fire was found inside the structure, primarily in the ceiling. The fire was extinguished by 6:30 a.m., with multiple apparatus responding to assist.

The classroom trailer, which was being used for storage at the time of the incident, sustained significant damage. The cause of the fire remains under investigation. No injuries were reported.

Mutual aid assistance was provided by the Newport News Fire Department.

Questions may be directed to the York County Department of Fire and Life Safety at 757-890-3600.



