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## **One Firefighter Suffers Minor Injury at 2-Alarm Fire at 81 Wolcott Terrace**

Newark Public Safety Director Anthony F. Ambrose reports that one Newark firefighter was injured while working at a two-alarm fire at 81 Wolcott Terrace today.

At approximately 2:25 p.m., firefighters responded to the two-story wood frame, duplex residence on a call of a fire. A second alarm was called immediately with some 70 firefighters at the scene. Firefighters reported a roof collapse with one firefighter suffering a minor injury and remaining on duty.

The fire was considered under control at 3:03 p.m.

The cause and origin of this fire are under investigation by the Newark Fire Division's Arson Unit.



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