

PRESS RELEASE

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AT THIS TIME NO OTHER INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE FOR RELEASE.

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
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CRIME & GENERAL NEWS

Incident Type: **Structure Fire**

Date and Time: **July 29, 2018 8:23 pm**

Location: **41 Manor Drive
Hillsborough, NJ**

Involved Person(s): **Lauren Sillib- 48 yoa female**

Incident Description:

On the above date and time, Hillsborough Police Dept. responded to the above location for a report of a fire at a townhouse located at 41 Manor Dr. Responding units found smoke and flames coming from the basement area of the residence. The homeowner was not home at the time. Fire Department extinguished the fire but the basement suffered smoke and fire damage. The residence was deemed uninhabitable because of the damage sustained. The fire does not appear to be suspicious but is still under investigation by the Hillsborough Twsp. Police Dept. and Hillsborough Fire Safety Bureau. There were no reported injuries during this incident.

Responding Agencies:

Hillsborough Twsp. Police Dept., Hillsborough Twsp Fire Dept. Stations 36,37,38, Hillsborough Twsp Fire Safety, Hillsborough Twsp. Office of Emergency Management, Hillsborough Twsp. Building Dept., PSE&G, Robert Wood Johnson BLS, Neshanic Fire Co., Millstone Valley Fire Co., Finderne Fire Co., Raritan Fire Co., Elizabeth Ave Fire Co., Montgomery Fire Co #1., Manville Fire Co.,