

Incident 058623, Carolina Glove, 116 S McLin Creek Rd SE, Structure Fire

June 11, 2009

Carolina Glove Company
116 S McLin Creek Rd SE
Conover, North Carolina 28613

Structure Fire

Conover Fire Department was dispatched to a reported Structure Fire at 116 S McLin Creek Rd SE, Carolina Glove Company at 0756 hours on June 11, 2009. Upon arrival of CFD apparatus and personnel, reporting smoke showing from front of a single story, large manufacturing structure. Chief 150 assumed Command on side "A" of the structure. Plant personnel on site reported smoke in the office area of the facility. Fire crew made entry into structure into the office area, found smoke showing from ceiling area. Initial crew began pulling ceiling tiles and found fire in the ceiling space of the structure. Additional personnel were assigned to the interior crew to assist with fire attack and began applying salvage covers area the office equipment. First crew reported several fires in the ceiling area of the structure along side "A" moving toward side "D". Command requested a second alarm for additional personnel, Engine 3, Station 19 Newton Fire Engine 2 to the scene for RIT, Claremont Station 7 and St. Stephens Station 4 for standby and coverage of Conover district. Ladder 1 laddered structure on side "D", crew of two assigned to roof sector to check and secure power to roof HVAC units and check for fire extension. Plant personnel secured power to structure.

Catawba County EMS and Claremont Rescue on scene for medical. Truck 1 assigned to rehab.

Interior crew continued pulling ceiling tiles and removing insulation from structure. Crew used water cans and fire extinguishers to extinguish fires. One 1-3/4 inch line was pulled for protection, however was not flowed. Interior crews removed burning and smoldering material from structure and used extinguishers to extinguish fires to avoid severe damage to office equipment.

Fire under control time at 0902 hours. Salvage and overhaul procedures continued. Air monitoring showed oxygen level was 20 percent in structure. Crews removed SCBA and operations continued with salvage and overhaul. Structure was cleared and deemed safe with for plant personnel to enter. Command had on scene fire officers to take Carolina Glove personnel inside structure.

At 1020 hours structure was released to Carolina Glove personnel and assignment complete. JMH 150. 06112009.

Equipment on Scene: Conover Fire: 15-E1, 15-E2, 15-E3, 15-L1, 15-T1, Chief 15
 Newton Fire: 19-E2
 Catawba County EMS
 Claremont Rescue Squad









