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## Salina Home Damaged by Early Morning Fire

**Town of Salina, New York** – The Onondaga County Sheriff's Office reports that Sheriff's Deputies investigated an early morning residential fire that occurred on Old Liverpool Road in the Town of Salina.

This morning at approximately 2:48 am, Sheriff's Deputies along with firefighters from the Liverpool, Moyers Corners, North Syracuse, Mattydale and Solvay Fire Departments, responded to a reported residential fire at 128 Old Liverpool Road. The resident on the first floor of the two family home, Angelia Ferguson (28), called 911 after she was awoken by her smoke detector and flames coming from the kitchen. Ferguson and her 9 year old daughter were able to escape from the home with minor injuries after shattering a glass window that the two crawled out of. Two occupants in the upstairs apartment were able to escape without any injuries.

It took firefighter approximately 30 minutes to get the fire under control and extinguished, which caused significant damage to the first floor apartment unit.

Ferguson was transported by AMR ambulance to Upstate University Hospital for minor smoke inhalation and lacerations to her arms and legs.

The American Red Cross was called to the scene and is currently working on relocating the residents.

An investigation conducted by the Onondaga County Fire Investigations Unit determined that the fire was accidental, caused by food left on the stove.

Deputies were also assisted by the Liverpool Police Department.

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