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MOUNT VERNON—Mount Vernon Fire Department responded to a garage fire at a residence on the 1500 block of Broad Street, at approximately 2:50 a.m. Tuesday morning.

Firefighters arrived to discover a significant amount of smoke, and a working fire in the garage.

The two-alarm fire was brought under control within 30 minutes. A cat was rescued from the premises. A second cat was believed to have escaped the flames through an open door. No injuries to people or animals were reported.

Fire investigators are returning to the scene this morning. The cause of the fire, as well as the extent of the damage, is currently undetermined.

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