

Updates:

[Carden Estates Apartments Fire Update Video](#)

[FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH DONATION INFORMATION FOR CARDEN ESTATES APARTMENT VICTIMS](#)

Last night, there was a catastrophic fire at Carden Estates Apartments that resulted in the total loss of 36 housing units. At this time, the displaced families (approximately 72 individuals) are being bussed to the Conference Center. The Dusty Elam Foundation is delivering toiletries, and Hardee's is going to feed them breakfast. The Red Cross has been notified and is on their way, and I am currently contacting local clergy to help in coordinating available resources. I know that many of you will be eager to help in any way that you can because that's what we do in Manchester! I will give further updates throughout the day as to the best way to proceed. I would like to close by thanking the Manchester Fire Department for their heroic efforts in sustaining the fire and their assistance with the families affected. There was no loss of life, and for that, we can be incredibly grateful.

Mayor Joey Hobbs