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OVERNIGHT FIRE UNDER INVESTIGATION

(TEMPLE TERRACE, FL. – 4/18/16) – City and state officials are investigating a fire that occurred in an empty commercial building in Temple Terrace early Monday morning.

The fire broke out around 1:20 a.m. at the site of the former Budget Rental Car building, 6906 E. Fowler Ave. There were no occupants, fire officials said.

The one-story concrete block building sustained substantial structural damage, including damage to the roof, said Risk Reduction Division Chief Dale Deleacaes of the Temple Terrace Fire Department. No damage estimate has been determined.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation, Deleacaes said. Investigators from the State Fire Marshal's Office also are on scene.

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