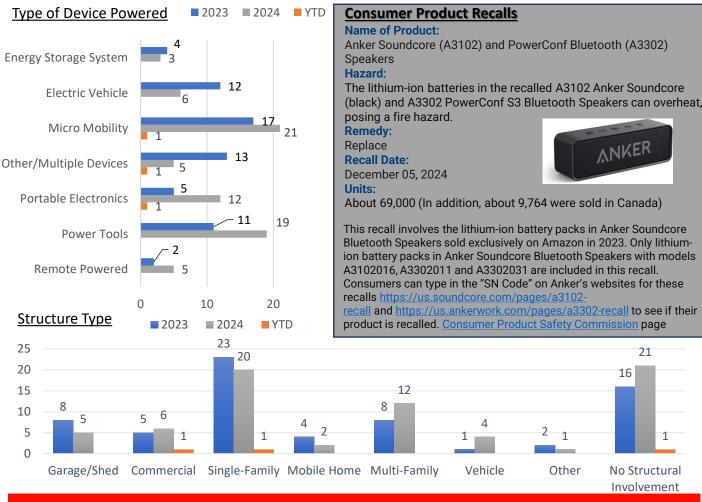
## Lithium-Ion Battery Fire Investigations, January 2025

Year to date, there have been 3 fires investigated, where a lithium-ion battery was found in the area of origin.

Micro mobility devices (e-bikes, scooters, hoverboards, etc.), power tools and electric vehicles, and portable electronics continued to make up the highest number of incidents. In over half of the incidents investigated, the battery was indoors and not charging at the time of the fire.



## FIRES AND EMERGENCIES



If a battery overheats or you notice an odor, change in shape/color, leaking, or odd noises from a device, stop using immediately. If safe to do so, move the device away from anything that can catch fire and call 911.



Lithium-Ion batteries are known to unexpectedly re-ignite minutes, hours, and even days after all visible fire has been put out.



If you observe a lithium-ion battery fire, leave the area, CLOSE the door, and call 911 immediately.



Water and fire extinguishers do not work on lithium-ion battery fires.

Source: Connecticut Vision Zero