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COYOTE BITES WOMAN

Broomfield/Northglenn, CO—At 7:10 a.m. this morning North Metro Fire Rescue responded to report of a woman that was attacked by a coyote in open space near her home in the 3670 block of Vestal Loop in the Anthem community in northern Broomfield. The woman was able to return home and call 9-1-1 for assistance.

North Metro fire paramedics treated and released the woman who had minor injuries. The woman reported to be outside playing frisbee with her yellow lab when two coyotes approached them. One of the coyotes latched onto the woman, but she was able to shake it off. Then her dog went after the coyotes and chased them away.

The woman and the dog were both examined by fire paramedics. The dog sustained no injuries. The Colorado Division of Wildlife has been called to the scene along with Broomfield Police in order to try to track the coyotes.

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About North Metro Fire Rescue District

North Metro Fire Rescue is dedicated to your quality care. North Metro Fire Rescue provides fire protection, emergency medical services, hazardous materials response and rescue services to our community. Formed in 1946, the district now covers 63 square miles with a population of approximately 103,000 people including the City and County of Broomfield, the City of Northglenn and unincorporated areas of Boulder, Adams and Jefferson Counties.