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CLARK COUNTY WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION COVER SHEET

This form MUST accompany each original or certified copy of the resolution. Contact person or persons should have the authority to approve change and to answer questions.

Name of District: Town of Yacolt

District Address: PO Box 160 Yacolt, WA 98675

Date of Election: August 6, 2019

Contact Person: Shawn Ford Title: Chief - North Country EMS

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Type of election (levy, bond, lid lift, etc.): 10 year EMS levy renewal

Please state the pass/fail requirements for this measure (i.e. Simple Majority, 60% etc.) as determined by your legal counsel, together with applicable statutory references:

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES REGULAR LEVY
(Ten Year Levy Limit)
TOWN OF YACOLT

RESOLUTION NO. 582

A RESOLUTION of the Yacolt Town Council providing for the submission to the qualified electors of the district at an election to be held within the town on August 6, 2019, of a proposition authorizing the renewal of the levy of a regular property tax in the sum of \$0.50 per \$1,000 assessed valuation each year for ten consecutive years beginning in 2020 to be collected in 2020-2029 for the provision of emergency medical services all as provided in Clark County Emergency Medical Service District No. 1 (EMSD) and the laws of the State of Washington RCW 84.52.069.

WHEREAS, it is the judgment of the Yacolt Town Council that it is essential and necessary for the protection of the health and life of the residents of the town that the emergency medical services enumerated in this resolution be provided. Such services will necessitate the expenditure of revenues for maintenance, operations and equipment.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE YACOLT TOWN COUNCIL OF CLARK COUNTY, STATE OF WASHINGTON, in its capacity as the governing body of the Town of Yacolt, as follows:


SECTION 1. That pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between Cowlitz County Emergency Medical Service District No.1, Clark County Emergency Medical Service District No. 1 and the Town of Yacolt that North Country Emergency Medical Service shall provide emergency medical care or emergency medical services, including related personnel costs, training for such personnel, and related equipment, supplies vehicles and structures needed for the provision of emergency medical care or emergency medical services.


SECTION 2. In order to produce the revenue adequate to pay the costs of providing life protection services as described in Section 1 of this resolution and to maintain reserve funds sufficient to assure the continuation of such services, the town shall levy for ten consecutive years beginning in 2020 and collected in 2020-2029, a general tax on taxable property within the district, maintenance and operations costs in the amount of \$0.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation.

SECTION 3. There shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the town for their ratification or rejection at an election on August 6, 2019 the question of whether or not such levy for maintenance and operations shall be made.

ADOPTED this 1st day of April, 2019.

Attest:


Dawn Salisbury, Town Clerk


Vince Myers, Mayor

TOWN OF YACOLT
TEN-YEAR LEVY FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

PROPOSITION NO. 3

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVY

Shall the Town of Yacolt be authorized to levy a regular property tax in the sum of \$0.50 maximum per \$1,000 assessed valuation each year for ten consecutive years beginning in 2020 for the provision of Emergency Medical Services?

YES _____

NO _____

Explanatory Statement

The Town of Yacolt through North Country EMS seeks voter approval to renew a regular property tax levy in an amount equal to \$0.50 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation of property in the district in each year beginning in 2020 for ten consecutive years. The 2009 levy will expire at the end of 2019 unless the voters approve this measure. The tax revenue would be used exclusively for the provision of emergency medical care or emergency medical services.