

SNOHOMISH REGIONAL FIRE & RESCUE

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES SNOHOMISH REGIONAL FIRE & RESCUE

Snohomish County Fire District 4 Headquarters 1525 Avenue D, Snohomish, WA 98290 June 18, 2024, 1800 hours

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Elmore called the meeting to order at 1800 hours. In attendance were Commissioner Edwards, Chairman Elmore, Commissioner Schaub, and Commissioner Steinruck.

MEETING WITH REGIONAL PARTNERS

Chiefs and Commissioners from Snohomish County Fire District 4/Snohomish, Granite Falls Fire, Snohomish County Fire District 5/Sultan, and Snohomish Regional Fire & Rescue were in attendance.

Commission Chair from Snohomish County Fire District 4 opened discussion:

- What can we do in five years together? How about in 20 to 30 years from now?
- At the last meeting we discussed the following:
 - Permitting for new fire facility construction.
 - Could we share reserve apparatus?
 - Should we coordinate station locations?
 - Is the current funding process working?

Chairman Elmore discussed:

• A common Fire Commissioner Orientation Program with a resource list.

Discussion about future growth in Snohomish County:

- Rural clusters
- Communication challenges
- Need notification from County Fire Marshal for future growth

Could we be joint purchasing to reduce costs?

Could we create a medical coverage trust?

- Medical coverage
- A County primary care provider for all participants?
- There was a program like this in Spokane

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Station Location Coordination

Regional BLS Transports

Countywide ALS

The public safety tax that the County is proposing should be addressed by this group.

Wall Times

GOOD OF THE ORDER

EXECUTIVE SESSION N/A

ADJOURNMENT Chairman Elmore adjourned the meeting at 1942 hours.

Snohomish Regional Fire & Rescue

Commissioner Rick Edwards Chairman Troy Elmore

Vice Chairman Randy Fay

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Commissioner Paul Gagnon

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Commissioner Jeff Schaub

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