

Sample Resolution

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND

_____ **County Fire Protection District No.** _____

RESOLUTION NO. _____

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the district deem it essential and necessary for the protection of public health, life, and property that \$ _____ be obtained for the firefighting facilities and equipment of the district; and,

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of Fire Commissioners, it is therefore necessary that the district obtain the sum of \$ _____ for the purpose of _____; and,

WHEREAS, in the judgement of the Board of Fire Commissioners it would be to the advantage of the taxpayers of the district to vote a General Obligation of the district for _____ years to secure this amount;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that _____ County Fire Protection District No. _____ offer to the voters of _____ County Fire Protection District No. _____, a proposition to authorize a General Obligation of the district and that the commissioners of _____ County Fire Protection District No. _____, be authorized to issue General Obligation Bonds in the amount of \$ _____ to be redeemed by a tax in excess of the regular property tax levies authorized under RCW 52 and RCW 84.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2_____.

Chairperson

Commissioner

Commissioner

Secretary

Sample Ballot for General Obligation Bond Issue

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Fire Protection District No. _____

_____ **County, Washington**

SPECIAL ELECTION

(Month/Day/Year)

INSTRUCTIONS: To vote for or against a proposition, place an X in the appropriate box following the proposition.

PROPOSITION NO. I

GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS \$ _____

Shall Fire Protection District No. _____, _____ County, Washington, incur a general indebtedness and issue its general obligation bonds in the sum of \$_____, and in no event exceed an amount, together with any outstanding general obligation indebtedness, equal to 3/4 of one percent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property within the fire district, for capital purposes only, other than the replacement of equipment, to wit:

(INSERT HERE THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE BONDS ARE BEING SOLD. FOR EXAMPLE: CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING THE FIRE STATION, OR ACQUIRING NEW FIRE TRUCKS AND NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFORE, ETC.)

Said bonds to mature in from two to not more than _____ years from date of issue, and the principal and interest thereof be payable from the annual tax levies in excess of the \$10.00 PER THOUSAND LIMITATION, all as provided in RESOLUTION NO. _____ of the District.

BONDS YES

BONDS NO