

HELIX RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

RESOLUTION 19-01

JANUARY 28, 2019

Whereas the service of fire protection and emergency medical care and transport are vital services to be provided to an area of general population;

Whereas the provision of Fire and EMS services can be life-threatening and requires people and equipment to perform as service providers;

Whereas the training of such people which is required by multiple State and Federal agencies, can be expensive, time consuming and students must be educated by certified instructor;

Whereas combining people, equipment, training schedules and other resources creates a higher level of service provided, more efficient use of equipment and streamlines training;

Whereas the primary providers of this service are volunteers, and general volunteerism continues to regionally decline;

Whereas the citizens of the Helix RFPD and surrounding areas expect these services to be provided; now therefore be it

Resolved that the HELIX RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

- 1) Agrees that the combination of regional Fire and EMS resources is one method of addressing the problems affecting service delivery, training and the insufficiency of other resources, AND**
- 2) Supports and Authorizes Fire Chief Dave Baty to examine and propose an agreement that would combine resources with other regional entities.**

Signature Below Indicates a yes vote:

/s/Chrys Wernlund Board President

Chrys Wernlund

/s/Glen Tipton Board Vice President

Glen Tipton

/s/ Terry Case Board Secretary

Terry Case

/s/ Matt Wood Board Member

Matt Wood

_____ Director

Empty Chair

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