RESOLUTION #372

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF YACOLT, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING A ONE PERCENT (1%) INCREASE IN THE REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVY.

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Yacolt, Washington has properly given notice of the meeting held the 18th day of November, 2002, to consider the Town of Yacolt's current expense budget for the 2003 calendar year, pursuant to RCW 84.55.120, and;

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Yacolt Taxing District, after hearing and after duly considering all relevant evidence and testimony presented, determined that the Town of Yacolt Taxing District requires an increase in the property tax revenue from the previous year, in addition to that resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, in order to discharge the expected expenses and obligations of the district and in its best interest;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Yacolt Taxing District that an increase in the regular property tax levy, in addition to the increase resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property, is hereby authorized for the 2003 levy year in the amount of \$1,233 which is a percentage increase of 1% from the previous year.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Yacolt Taxing District that an increase in the emergency medical services levy, in addition to the increase resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property, is hereby authorized for the 2003 levy year in the amount of \$199 which is a percentage increase of 1% from the previous year.

APPROVED this 18th day of November, 2002.

Kil Sin JIM ROBERTSON, Mayor

Attest:

Brendo

BRENDA FINNEGAN, Clerk/Treasurer

Ayes Tindall-Ellis, Case, Smith, Mason

Nays None

Absent Messer