

RESOLUTION #405

A resolution of the Town Council, Town of Yacolt, Clark County, Washington providing for the submission to the voters of the Town of Yacolt, at an election to be held therein on September 19, 2006, of a proposition authorizing a levy in 2006 for collection in 2007 of \$80,754 of additional taxes upon all of the taxable property within the Town of Yacolt (at the rate of approximately \$1.41 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation). The question of authorizing such a levy in excess of the maximum tax specified by law is required to be submitted to the electors of the Town of Yacolt for their approval or rejection. The proceeds of the levy are to be used for operating funds, maintenance and salaries for North Country Emergency Medical Service for an estimated period of three (3) years.

WHEREAS, it is certain that the money which will be available in 2007-2009 will be insufficient to pay the costs of the Medical Program and to meet the other general expenses of the Emergency Medical Service District and that it is necessary for an additional tax levy of \$80,754 to be made for the purpose outlined above; and

WHEREAS, the question of authorizing such a levy is required to be submitted to the voters of the Town of Yacolt for their approval or rejection; and

WHEREAS, the conditions and situations herein before set forth create a need which requires holding an election in the Town of Yacolt, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council, Town of Yacolt, Clark County, Washington, as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby found and declared that a need exists requiring the calling of an election, and the County Auditor of Clark County, Ex-Officio supervisor of elections for said County, is hereby requested to find and declare the existence of a need. The said County Auditor is further requested and directed to call and conduct an election in the Town of Yacolt in the manner provided by law, to be held therein at the primary election scheduled for September 19, 2006 for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the Town of Yacolt, for their approval or rejection, the question whether or not a tax levy in 2006 for collection in 2007 of \$80,754 shall be made upon all the taxable property of the Town of Yacolt for the General Fund of the Town of Yacolt (the estimated cost to be approximately \$1.41 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation) in excess of the maximum tax levy provided by law without a vote of the electors of the Town of Yacolt, the proceeds thereof to be used for operating funds, maintenance and salaries for North Country Emergency Medical Service for an estimated period of three (3) years. The polls for the primary election shall be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Section 2. The Ballot Title of the aforesaid proposition shall be as follows:

“PROPOSITION:
EMERGENCY MEDICAL PROGRAM LEVY”

Shall the Town Council, Town of Yacolt, Clark County, Washington, be authorized to impose a tax levy in 2006 for collection in 2007 of \$80,754 upon all the taxable property of the Town of Yacolt (the estimated cost to be approximately \$1.41 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation) in excess of the maximum tax levy provided by law without a vote of the electors of the Town of Yacolt, the proceeds thereof to be used for operating funds, maintenance and salaries for North Country Emergency Medical Service for an estimated three (3) year period?

LEVY, YES []

LEVY, NO []

Section 3. The Clerk/Treasurer, Town of Yacolt, is directed to certify to the County Auditor of Clark County, Ex-Officio supervisor of elections of said County, a copy of this resolution showing its adoption by the Town Council, Town of Yacolt, at least 45 days prior to the date of such election, and to perform such other duties as are necessary or required by law to the end that the question of whether or not said excess tax levy shall be made as herein provided for shall be submitted to the voters of the Town of Yacolt at the aforesaid election.

The foregoing Resolution was adopted at a regular open public meeting of the Town Council, Town of Yacolt, Clark County, Washington, on the 15th day of May, 2006 and the following Town Council members were present and voted therefore:


JOE WARREN, Mayor

Attest:


BRENDA FINNEGAN, Clerk/Treasurer

Ayes Holyk, Marbut, Weldon, Stewart

Nays None

Absent None