

Measure Argument for County Voters' Pamphlet

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Measure # 26 - 162 Original Statement Amended Statement

Order # F-1 Argument in Favor Argument in Opposition

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Sauvie Island Volunteer Firefighter's Association

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Organization name person(s) is(are) authorized to represent, if applicable: Sauvie Island Volunteer Firefighter's Associ

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Measure # 26 - 162 (Order # _____)

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The Sauvie Island Volunteer Firefighter's Association appreciates all of the support the residents of Sauvie Island have given us throughout the years, and we are asking for your continued support in this reduced Local Option Levy (LOL) renewal.

As a membership, we continue our hard work and dedication to provide support for all of our community and for all of our volunteer firefighters. Through community fundraising and donations, the Firefighter's Association has contributed to the District as much as possible towards our mutual goals. The Firefighter's Association has seen the great efforts the District has put forth in being financially responsible, which is reflected in the proposed LOL of \$0.35 per \$1,000 assessed value. This proposed Levy is less than the 2010 LOL of \$0.46 per \$1,000 assessed value. The revenue from this levy will go to supporting the District's operation costs. The basic cost for electricity, fuel, telephones, radios, pagers, and insurance are increasing as are all the essentials to the workings of any Fire Department such as equipment and apparatus. The revenue from the levy will also be used towards mandatory medical testing and immunization, training on current and ever changing health and safety procedures and policies, and required OSHA testing of equipment, as well as annual servicing, inspections and equipment replacement. The Association has come to the conclusion that without the revenue provided by this levy we will no longer be able to provide the same level of service, including both medical response and fire protection.

Please feel free to call Association Officers or Chief Collins directly. We welcome anyone to stop by the station or a posted Board meeting to talk if you have any questions regarding the levy or the necessity of this funding.

We hope you will join us in voting 'YES' for this measure so we can keep the Sauvie Island R.F.P.D. #30J a healthy, strong, and viable fire and medical service for our community.