

Fire Protection District No. 28

Proposition 2

Ballot Title

Restoring Regular Property Tax Levy

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District No. 28, Snohomish County, Washington, adopted Resolution No. 2010-05 concerning restoring its regular property tax levy to \$1.50 per \$1,000. This proposition would authorize the District to set its regular property tax levy of \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation to be levied in 2010 for collection in 2011 and thereafter subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations. The dollar amount of this levy would be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050. Should this proposition be approved?

**No Statement For
submitted**

**No Statement Against
submitted**

Explanatory Statement

This levy is the primary source of funding for services provided by Fire District No. 28. Increased demand for service and rising costs of operation are challenging the Fire District's budget. State limitations on funding increases do not allow the Fire District to keep up with increasing operational costs and planned capital improvement projects. Passage of Proposition No. 2 will allow the Fire District to maintain the level of service currently provided.