

Fire Services Ad Hoc Meeting Summary January - March 2021

Summary and Purpose of Ad Hoc

The Fire Implementation Ad-Hoc Committee was formed to address the implementation of the Sonoma County Fire Service Deployment Plan (CFSPD). Following the failure of the Measure G Fire Tax, the Ad Hoc updated its Charter to continue coordination efforts with partner agencies to consolidate fire agencies, including County Service Area 40.

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Meeting Summary

1/11/21 Agenda

- 1) Fire Tax 2.0 Discussion
- 2) Update on Fire Impact Fees for Sonoma County and Sonoma Valley Fire

Guests: None

Direction to staff: None.

1/28/21 Agenda

- 1) Fire Tax 2.0 Draft Term Sheet and Schedule
- 2) LAFCO Municipal Services Review for CSA 40

Guests: None

Direction to staff: None.

2/5/21 Agenda

- 1) Finalize Draft Term Sheet
- 2) Review Timeline
- 3) Prepare for Meeting with City Managers
- 4) LAFCO Update

Guests: None

Direction to staff: None

2/25/21 Agenda

- 1) Fire Services Work Group Public Outreach and Private Campaign Discussion

Guests: Fire Services Work Group

Direction to staff: Directed the Fire Services Work Group to develop an implementation and outreach plan for bringing a new tax for the June 2022 ballot

3/18/25 Agenda

- 1) Bodega Bay Discussion
- 2) Next Steps for CSA 40 Consolidation Efforts

Guests: None

Direction to staff: Reach out to Bodega Bay to get an update on their current fiscal situation.

3/25/21 Agenda

- 1) Bodega Bay Follow Up
- 2) Fire Services Project Funds and CSA 40 Budget / Reserves
- 3) Upstaffing Request for Upcoming Fire Season

Guests: None

Direction to staff: Continue to work with Bodega Bay. Obtain letters of support from the Fire Chief's Districts Association to extend the Enhanced Services contracts.