SOUTH KING FIRE & RESCUE

SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS MEETING
Meeting with our Legislators
Station 68
January 7, 2010

Commissioner Gates called the meeting to order at 1012 hours with Commissioners Thompson, Fossos & Rickert (he will be sworn in on 1/21/10) present. Commissioner Freitas was excused. Board Secretary Lauri Perry recording.

Legislators attending were Senator Eide, and Representative Priest representing the 30th District, Senator Keiser and Representative Orwall, representing the 33rd District.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Gates.

Commissioner Gates welcomed everyone to the meeting adding that we have advertised this as a special meeting so all of the Commissioners could be here. He then noted that everyone probably knows each other but he asked that we go around the room with everyone introducing themselves.

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS
There were no Commissioner comments.

PUBLIC COMMENTS
There were no public comments.

DISCUSSION WITH 30th & 33rd DISTIRCT LEGISLATORS RELATED TO 2009 SESSION
Chief Church discussed some of the legislative bills and asked for support from the Senators and Representatives, we understand it will be a tough year to get any bills passed that have any financial impact. We will also have some bills that have a financial impact; we are just trying to keep these bills in front of the Legislators so that when funds do become available they are aware of the bills and are ready to pass them. Chief Church thanked all of the Legislators for taking time out of their busy schedule to meet with us and he thanked them for all of their support of the fire department.

There was some discussion amongst the group on other bills and what the Legislators will be facing this year.

B/C Chaney thanked Senator Eide for all of her help; she was instrumental in helping the JATC Program receive additional funding.

Commissioner Gates thanked the Legislators for meeting with us today adding that we appreciate what they do and we are here to support them.

PUBLIC COMMENTS
There were no public comments.

Meeting adjourned at 1117 hours.

CHAIR/COMMISSIONER

VICE CHAIR/COMMISSIONER

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