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For reference North Blaine County Fire, formerly Ketchum Rural Fire District is currently 11.08/100,000 and trending downward. There are no additional bond levies. We also own living quarters rented to about 20 first responders which positively affects our employee recruitment. The WRF station is old and substandard. Should consolidation happen, the City of Ketchum would also be asked to pay for about 1/2 of the new station in Hailey. It is no wonder that there are many unanswered questions. As careful as the State of Idaho tries to be with controlling taxes by limiting increases to 3% and annual obligations to one year, this is a creative loophole. It's another example of when very few residents get to vote and control their entire tax base of absentee owner properties. This includes rural or Hailey voters that cannot vote concerning their City properties.

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