



City of Ketchum

CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA MEMO

Meeting Date: Staff Member/Dept:

Agenda Item:

Recommended Motion:

Reasons for Recommendation:

City staff continues to partner with County staff to complete the necessary implementation steps associated with the initiation of the voter approved Ketchum Fire District. Under state law, the County Commissioners must approve an order officially establishing the Fire District and transmit a boundary map to the State Tax Commission to levy property taxes for Fiscal Year 2026.

- Within the boundaries of the new district, the Commissioners must establish three sub-districts that are population balanced.
- The initial appointed Fire Commissioners are not required to match each specific district but will be required during the first election cycle.
- City staff developed the sub-district boundaries based on population and logical geographic boundaries.
- The Commissioners are scheduled to act on the Order and the Map during their 12/17 meeting.
- The County has scheduled the 12/31 meeting to complete the appointment of the three Fire Commissioners.

Policy Analysis and Background (non-consent items only):

Sustainability Impact:

Financial Impact:

None OR Adequate funds exist in account:

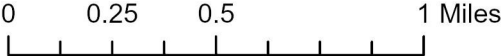
Attachments:

KETCHUM FIRE DISTRICT SUB-DISTRICT MAP

Each sub-district is roughly equal in population, based on Blaine County Parcel and Home Address data layers.

Legend

- Ketchum Fire District Boundary
- Sub-Districts**
 - KFD Subdistrict 1
 - KFD Subdistrict 2
 - KFD Subdistrict 3



Ketchum Fire District
December 2024

