



REGIONAL FIRE AUTHORITY PLANNING COMMITTEE May 9, 2022

5:30 - 7:30 pm



AGENDA

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Communications update (15 min.) JB/JD
 - May 19 Public Outreach Event
- 3. Continued discussion of **Governance Options** (40 min.) KR
- 4. Approach to addressing labor costs (5 min.) KR
- 5. Update on Financial Issues (40 min) NB, BC, KR
- 6. Wrap up KM



Talking points - Councils

A Regional Fire Authority Planning Committee started meeting in 2021 and has met 5 times. To date, the Committee has:

- Adopted a charter to guide our work.
- Adopted a work plan and project timeline.
 - The work plan includes four check-ins with both city councils and two rounds of public engagement to gather information as we develop the RFA Plan.
- Adopted an initial communications plan
 - We have a website hosted by Tumwater that includes all our meeting agendas and materials as well as FAQs for the public and an email for public inquiries.
- Approved a statement of values & principles to guide our work.
- Approved a plan for an initial round of public engagement.
- Reviewed finance and governance options.
- Doubled our meeting cadence to be sure we can submit a draft RFA plan to Councils this fall.