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February 10, 2009

The Honorable Jan Shabro
Pierce County Auditor
Pierce County Records and Elections
2501 South 35th Street, Suite C
Tacoma, Washington 98409

RE: Town of Steilacoom – April 28, 2009 EMS Levy Election

Dear Ms. Shabro:

Enclosed please find:

1. Town of Steilacoom Resolution 1082 requesting placing on the April 28, 2009 special election, a proposition for a tax levy for emergency medical care and services,
2. A letter dated February 10, 2009 requesting a mail in ballot for the April 28, 2009 special election.
3. Names and addresses of the appointed "For" committee members. No individuals submitted a request to be appointed to the "Against" committee.
4. The Pierce County Mandatory Resolution Cover Sheet.

Under separate cover and once approved by the Town Attorney, we will be submitting by March 6, 2009, the:

1. The Ballot Title
2. The Explanatory Statement.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Paul Loveless
Town Administrator

CC: Larry Hoffman, Town Attorney



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RE: Town of Steilacoom – April 28, 2009 EMS Levy Election

Dear Ms. Shabro:

The Town of Steilacoom requests an “all-mail” ballot for our April 28, 2009 EMS levy election.

If you need any additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Paul Loveless
Town Administrator

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RESOLUTION NO. 1082

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF STEILACOOM, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING PLACING ON THE BALLOT FOR THE APRIL 28, 2009 SPECIAL ELECTION, A PROPOSITION FOR A TAX LEVY FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND SERVICES.

WHEREAS, RCW 84.52.069 does authorize taxing districts, including towns, to levy a tax in an amount equal to fifty cents (\$0.50) or less per thousand dollars of the assessed value of property in the taxing district in each year for a majority of six consecutive years when specifically authorized to do so by a majority of at least three-fifths of the electors thereof at a general or special election for the purpose of providing emergency medical care or emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the Town of Steilacoom have need for emergency medical care and emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, the emergency medical care and services levy authorized by the voters at the April 22, 2003 Special Election expires at the end of 2009, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF STEILACOOM, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON:

That a proposition be placed on the ballot for the April 28, 2009 Special Election to enable the citizens of the Town of Steilacoom to vote for or against such tax levy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

Such ballot proposition be worded as follows:

EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND SERVICES

Shall the Town of Steilacoom be authorized to impose additional regular property tax levies in an amount equal to fifty cents (\$0.50) per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for each of six consecutive years to provide emergency medical care and services?

Yes

No

and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

Notice that such proposition shall be on the ballot for the April 28, 2009 special election shall be given by publication in the manner provided by law for the giving of notices of Special Election with at least one publication not more than ten nor less than three days prior to the election.

PASSED THIS 3rd DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2009

ATTEST

CLERK-TREASURER

MAYOR