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**AUTOMATIC AID AND ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT
FOR WATER TENDER OPERATIONS**

EFD / KCFD #28

WHEREAS, the safety of the citizens of the State of Washington is of the utmost importance to all levels of state and local government;

WHEREAS, the Jurisdiction of Mountain View Fire and Rescue and King County Fire Protection District 28 (Enumclaw) seek to enter a Automatic Aid and Assistance Agreement in order to provide for the sharing of resources, personnel, and equipment in the event of a local fire or other emergency;

WHEREAS, the State of Washington and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) have recognized the importance of the concept of written mutual aid agreements between all levels of government to facilitate reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Washington, municipalities are allowed to enter into mutual aid and assistance agreements, which may include provisions for the furnishing and exchanging of supplies, equipment, facilities, personnel, and services during a natural or human-made disaster and/or other emergency; now

WHEREAS, both Mountain View Fire and Rescue and King County Fire Protection District 28 (Enumclaw) are cosigners of the King County, Washington Mutual Assistance and Interlocal Agreement 2006 and this Water Tender Operations Agreement shall become appendix A to the existing Mutual Assistance and Interlocal Agreement 2006; now

THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

AGREEMENT LANGUAGE

a. Equipment Familiarization

The agencies shall provide for equipment familiarization to ensure mutual understanding of the vehicles and equipment utilized by each of the agencies and to ensure interoperability. This shall be an ongoing process and reviewed on a regular basis.

b. Operations

The agencies shall provide for Tender Operations familiarization to ensure mutual understanding of the techniques, technology and standard operations utilized by each of the agencies and to ensure interoperability . This shall be an ongoing process and reviewed on a regular basis.

c. Mapping (Response areas and water sources)

The agencies shall provide for area familiarization, mapping and water source information to ensure mutual understanding of the operating area, non-hydranted areas each of the agencies and to ensure interoperability . This shall be an ongoing process and reviewed on a regular basis.

d. Training

The agencies shall provide for regular and on-going joint training to ensure mutual understanding of Water Tender Operations between the agencies to ensure interoperability, safety and efficiency of joint Water Tender Operations. This shall be an ongoing process and reviewed on a regular basis.

d. Dispatch

The agencies shall provide for Dispatch information and cooperate to establish pre-determined Dispatch orders to ensure Joint Tender Operation areas are automatically dispatched and to ensure interoperability . This shall be an ongoing process and reviewed on a regular basis.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This Agreement shall take effect upon its execution by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their corporate names by their authorized officers and members of their governing bodies, the day and year written bellow.

Mountain View Fire and Rescue


Chief Greg Smith

King County Fire District 28


Chief Randy Fehr