



Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: 5/7/2024

Public Hearings

Department: Commissioners

Presenter(s): Ryan Cole,
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Contact(s): Ryan Cole

Subject: Fire District Modification Woodfin and Reems Creek Fire Districts

Brief Summary: Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 153A-304.3(b), regarding the proposed boundary change between the Reems Creek Fire Protection & Ambulance and Rescue Service District (herein "RCFPARSD") and the Woodfin Fire Protection & Ambulance and Rescue Service District (herein "WFPARSD").

The Fire Marshall recommends the proposed boundary changes due to the NC Insurance Rating and the parcels of property located in the RCFPARSD and serviced by the Reems Creek Volunteer Fire Department which is over 5 miles fire district. The same parcels if served by Woodfin Fire Department would be under the 5 mile fire district limit providing improved response times and insurance ratings through the NC Department of Insurance.