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On October 1, 2018, the Maple Valley Fire Department (King County Fire District 43) will begin a contract for services with the Puget Sound Regional Fire Authority. The Puget Sound RFA currently protects Covington, Kent, SeaTac, and KCFD 37.

Why contract for services?

- •Rising costs.
- Tax limitations.
- •Reduced emergency services.





Why contract with Puget Sound Fire?

- •Best fit of the three proposals MVFD received.
- Unanimously approved by Board of Commission.

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Will any of our firefighters or staff be laid off?

• No. All positions are included in the contract.

What are the advantages of the contract?

- First year cost savings of over \$1 million.
- No partial closings of Station 83.
- Economies of scale.

How will this affect emergency services?

- No changes in daily operation of fire department.
- Better staffing and emergency services provided.

Your commissioners, fire administration, and firefighters are dedicated to the community we serve. This contract will help ensure that the Maple Valley region continues to receive the highest level of emergency services possible.

Please contact us if you have any questions or comments about the contract for services, or anything else concerning your fire department, at 253-856-4300.