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City of Mill Creek and Snohomish County Fire District 7 Reach Tentative Agreement

MILL CREEK, Wash. – Today, the City of Mill Creek and Snohomish County Fire District 7 reached a tentative agreement for a new six-year fire services contract (2017-2022). The tentative agreement encompasses the material economic terms of the new fire services agreement.

“We have been providing fire and emergency medical services to Mill Creek for many years and are pleased to be continuing service to the community,” said Fire Commissioner Randy Fay. “We have enjoyed a strong partnership with the City, and are confident this agreement meets the needs of both organizations.”

“We value the partnership with Fire District 7 and are glad we were able to agree to terms for this new contract,” said City Manager Rebecca Polizzotto. “Ensuring public safety services is one of our top priorities, and we are confident that the City, through its relationship with Fire District 7, will continue to provide top-quality services to our residents, in a fiscally responsible manner.”

Legal counsel for the parties will now draft the contract documents incorporating the terms of the tentative agreement. The contract will then be presented to Fire District 7’s Board of Commissioners and the Mill Creek City Council for ratification.

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About the City of Mill Creek

Incorporated in 1983, the City of Mill Creek is located in Snohomish County, Wash., and is home to nearly 20,000 people. Mill Creek is a physically active community with 10 attractive neighborhood and community parks, more than 23 miles of nature trails, and recreational facilities that support diverse recreational opportunities. A vibrant, safe and friendly community, Mill Creek is a great destination for shopping and gathering. The award-winning Mill Creek Town Center and other business developments feature many fine retail shops and restaurants. Mill Creek offers an exceptional community experience, where natural beauty is preserved, neighborhoods flourish, businesses thrive and recreational opportunities abound. For more information, visit www.cityofmillcreek.com or follow us on social media at [Facebook.com/MillCreekWA](https://www.facebook.com/MillCreekWA), [Twitter.com/MillCreekWA](https://twitter.com/MillCreekWA) and [Instagram.com/CityofMillCreek](https://www.instagram.com/CityofMillCreek).

About Snohomish County Fire District 7

Snohomish County Fire District 7 provides fire and life safety services to 110,000 people over 98.5 square miles in central and east Snohomish County, including the communities of Monroe,

Maltby, Clearview and Mill Creek. Fire District 7 taxpayers have built the most advanced emergency response system in Snohomish County with highly-trained personnel, facilities, apparatus, and rescue programs. Learn more about Fire District 7 by visiting www.snofire7.org, or find them on Facebook and Twitter at @snocountyfire7.