Subject: ELECTION

Section: PPG# 1111

Chapter: Board of Fire Commissioners

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1.0 POLICY

1.1 Fire protection district elections shall be held on the Tuesday following the first Monday in November of odd-numbered years. A person may become a candidate for the office of fire commissioner by filling a declaration of candidacy with the county auditor during the July filing period as described by law. In the event that there are more than two candidates for any position of the board, a primary election shall be held on the third Tuesday of September in the manner prescribed by law. The two candidates receiving the greatest number of votes will appear on the election ballot in November.

A person is legally qualified to become a fire commissioner who is a United States citizen, and qualified voter and resident of the fire Protection district.

4.0 REFERENCES

Cross Reference: Policy 1512 Conflicts of interest

Legal Reference: RCW 29.01.140 Residence

RCW 29.13.070 Primaries, When held

RCW 29.21.010 Primary elections in other towns

and districts

RCW 29.21.060 Declarations of candidacy

RCW 29.21.180 When no primary in certain offices

RCW 42.04.020 Eligibility to hold office RCW 52.14.030 Election precincts