

**MID-COLUMBIA FIRE AND RESCUE
2024-25 BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024**

Compliance with Local Budget Meeting Law

This is notice of a budget committee meeting of Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue to be held for the purpose of taking questions and comments from the public. Any person may ask questions about and comment on the budget document at this time. The budget document will be available Monday, May 13, 2024 for review at the front office of Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue, Station 1, 1400 W. 8th Street, The Dalles, Oregon 97058. This is a public meeting where deliberations of the budget committee will take place.

This meeting will be conducted both in-person at Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue Station 1 and virtually where the public will be able to listen to the proceedings by telephone or view and listen to the proceedings through video conferencing. Any person attending the meeting either in person or virtually will be allowed the opportunity to provide comment on the proposed programs with the Budget Committee by raising their hand to request the opportunity to speak. The Budget Committee Chairperson will orchestrate the public input process.

The FY 2024-25 proposed budget will be posted for viewing on Mid-Columbia Fire and Rescue's webpage at www.mcfr.org on Monday, May 13, 2024. Members of the public will be provided the opportunity to ask questions and make comment during the budget committee deliberations. Questions and comments received from the public or taxpayers will be taken into consideration that that time. Public comment may be submitted in writing prior to the budget meeting to rpalmer@mcfr.org by Monday, May 20, 2024, 12:00 p.m. PST. The meeting will be recorded.

The public may secure access to the Budget Committee meeting by using either the "Go To" meeting link or the telephone number and access code provided below:

1. To view and listen to the meeting, please follow the instructions below:
 - a. Please register for the MCFR Budget Committee meeting on Tuesday, May 21, 2024, 5:30 PM PDT at , <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4169594822109265496> Webinar ID: 726-225-571. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. Approval of the registrant is automatically approved.
2. To listen to the MCFR Budget Committee meeting on Tuesday, May 21, 2024, 5:30 PM PDT over the telephone, please follow the instructions below:
 - a. Dial the following meeting phone number: +1 (562) 247-8422
 - b. Enter the following audio access code: 615-735-408

Upon request, auxiliary aids and/or special services will be provided. To request services, please contact us at 541-296-9445 or through Oregon Relay 1-800-735-2900 at least three business days in advance.

BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA
TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024
5:30 p.m.
MID-COLUMBIA FIRE AND RESCUE
1400 W. 8th STREET, THE DALLES OREGON 97058

1. Call meeting to order
2. Roll call
3. Video conferencing criteria
4. Elect a budget committee chairperson
5. Elect a budget committee secretary
6. Receive the proposed budget document
7. Recess to Capital equipment/projects show and tell slideshow presentation
8. Reconvene for review of the 2024-25 FY proposed budget
9. Public comment
10. Consider approval of proposed budget or announce next meeting
11. Good of the order
12. Adjournment
13. Dinner will be provided for budget committee members at a local restaurant upon conclusion of the meeting. The public, at their expense, is welcome to attend.