



# YOUR FIRE DISTRICTS: BETTER TOGETHER

CENTRAL PIERCE FIRE & RESCUE • GRAHAM FIRE & RESCUE • ORTING VALLEY FIRE & RESCUE

## PROPOSITION 1: MERGER INTO CENTRAL PIERCE FIRE & RESCUE

### THE STATS (FIRE DISTRICTS COMBINED)



**328,000**  
COMMUNITY  
MEMBERS  
SERVED



**47,982**  
EMERGENCIES  
RESPONDED TO  
IN 2024



**178**  
SQUARE MILES  
PROTECTED



**490**  
FIRST  
RESPONDERS



**48**  
EMERGENCY  
RESPONSE  
VEHICLES



**20**  
STAFFED FIRE  
STATIONS

### CREATING A NEW REGIONAL FIRE DISTRICT

On April 22, 2025, Graham and Orting voters will decide on Proposition 1 —merging their fire districts into a single regional fire service with Central Pierce Fire & Rescue.

### POTENTIAL MERGER BENEFITS

- **Faster, coordinated emergency response:** closest available units dispatched for quicker 911 response.
- **Shared resources:** shared equipment, staffing, and facilities to improve service and reduce costs.
- **Increased ability to adapt to future needs:** in growth and public safety service demands.
- **A new, unified fire district identity:** honoring the legacy of each organization and its communities.

### WHAT WOULDN'T CHANGE

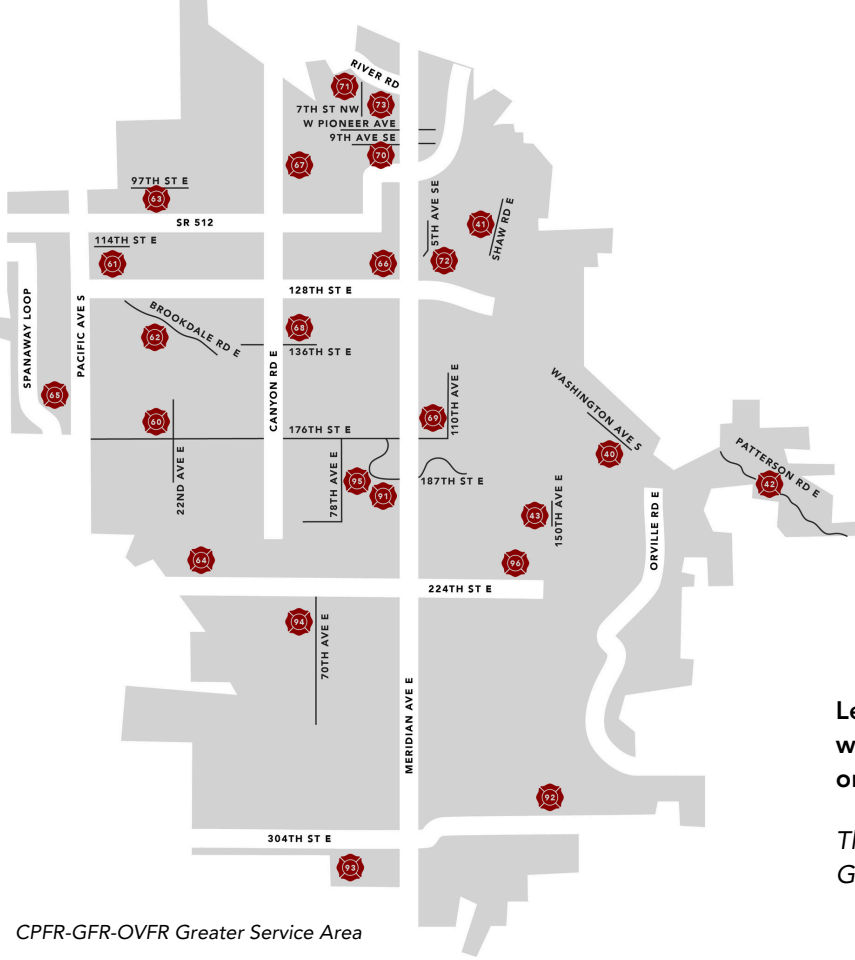
- **No job losses or station closures:** firefighters and stations remain in place, with future investments planned for new and reactivated stations.
- **No new funding requests (levy increases or bonds):** the Fire Benefit Charge (FBC) will be standardized across the merged district.



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