

**SUPPLEMENT
ANNEXATION, DETACHMENT, REORGANIZATION PROPOSALS**

INTRODUCTION: The questions on this form are designed to obtain data about the specific annexation, detachment and/or reorganization proposal to allow the San Bernardino LAFCO, its staff and others to adequately assess the project. You may also include any additional information which you believe is pertinent. Use additional sheets where necessary, and/or include any relevant documents.

1. Please identify the agencies involved in the proposal by proposed action:

ANNEXED TO

San Bernardino County Fire
Protection District
(Mountain Service Zone)
157 West Fifth Street
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0451

DETACHED FROM

Crest Forest Fire Protection District
23407 Crest Forest Drive
PO Box 3220
Crestline, CA 92325-3220

2. Will the territory proposed for change be subject to any new or additional special taxes, any new assessment districts, or fees? Yes. LAFCO indicated it would create a new Paramedic Service Zone(s) special tax to reorganize Crest Forest Fire Protection District (CFFPD) existing PM-1 and PM-A special tax. Furthermore, LAFCO indicated it would create a new service zone to isolate and retain the San Bernardino County Employees' Retirement Association (SBCERA) pension obligation specific to the currently existing CFFPD boundaries, in which the obligation was incurred (Reference Attachment 8 - Excerpt from CFFPD Basic Financial Statements for Year Ended June 30, 2013 p. 32). Ambulance obligations and revenues that are currently the responsibility of CFFPD will be assumed by SBCFPD. All fees collected for services provided will be reassigned to the SBCFPD Mountain Service Zone and continue for the services provided. These fees relate to fire protection planning, ambulance billing, cost recovery, hazardous waste collections and other related services.
3. Will the territory be relieved of any existing special taxes, assessments, district charges or fees required by the agencies to be detached? No.
4. Provide a description of how the proposed change will assist the annexing agency in achieving its fair share of regional housing needs as determined by SCAG. N/A.
5. **PLAN FOR SERVICES:**

For each item identified for a change in service provider, a narrative "Plan for Service" (required by Government Code Section 56653) must be submitted. This plan shall, at a minimum, respond to each of the following questions and be signed and certified by an official of the annexing agency or agencies.

1. A description of the level and range of each service to be provided to the affected territory. (Reference - Attachment 5 - CFFPD Contract with SBCFPD, July 13, 2013).
2. An indication of when the service can be feasibly extended to the affected territory. Services are presently provided under the terms of the CFFPD and SBCFPD contract. (Reference - Attachment 5 - CFFPD Contract with SBCFPD, July 13, 2013).
3. An identification of any improvement or upgrading of structures, roads, water or sewer facilities, other infrastructure, or other conditions the affected agency would impose upon the affected territory. N/A
4. The Plan shall include a Fiscal Impact Analysis which shows the estimated cost of extending the service and a description of how the service or required improvements will be financed. The Fiscal Impact Analysis shall provide, at a minimum, a five (5)-year projection of revenues and expenditures. A narrative discussion of the sufficiency of revenues for anticipated service extensions and operations is required. (Reference Attachment 9 – CFFPD Basic Financial Statements for the year ended June 30, 2013 and Attachment 10 – CFFPD Fiscal Impact Analysis.)
5. An indication of whether the annexing territory is, or will be, proposed for inclusion within an existing or proposed improvement zone/district, redevelopment area, assessment district, or community facilities district. SBCFPD consists of five regional service zones, each responsible for provision of emergency services for a given geographic area. The CFFPD will fall under the influence of the SBCFPD Mountain Service Zone. LAFCO indicated it would create a new PM special tax to reorganize CFFPD existing PM-1 and PM-A special tax. Furthermore, LAFCO indicated it will create a new service zone to isolate and retain the SBCERA pension obligation specific to the currently existing CFFPD boundaries, for which the obligation was incurred (Reference Attachment 8 – Excerpt from CFFPD Basic Financial Statements for Year Ended June 30, 2013 p. 32).
6. If retail water service is to be provided through this change, provide a description of the timely availability of water for projected needs within the area based upon factors identified in Government Code Section 65352.5 (as required by Government Code Section 56668(k)). N/A.

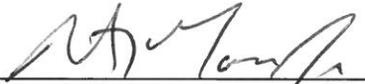
CERTIFICATION

As a part of this application, the Crest Forest Fire Protection District (the applicant), agree to defend, indemnify, hold harmless, and release the San Bernardino LAFCO, its agents, officers, attorneys, and employees from any claim, action, proceeding brought against any of them, the purpose of which is to attack, set aside, void, or annul the approval of this application or adoption of the environmental document which accompanies it. This indemnification obligation shall include, but not be limited to, damages, costs, and expenses, including attorney fees. The person signing this application will be considered the proponent for the proposed action(s) and will receive all related notices and other communications. I/We understand that if this application is approved, the Commission will impose a condition requiring the applicant to indemnify, hold harmless and reimburse the Commission for all legal actions that might be initiated as a result of that approval.

As the proponent, I/We acknowledge that annexation of the Crest Forest Fire Protection District may result in the imposition of taxes, fees, and assessments existing within the (city or district) on the effective date of the change of organization. I hereby waive any rights I may have under Articles XIII C and XIII D of the State Constitution (Proposition 218) to a hearing, assessment ballot processing or an election on those existing taxes, fees and assessments.

I hereby certify that the statements furnished above and in the attached supplements and exhibits present the data and information required for this initial evaluation to the best of my ability, and that the facts, statements, and information presented herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATE 11/18/14

 ROBERT GOSS VP
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

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