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## Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire & Rescue

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Greetings,

Terry McDiarmid and I Willie Bronson would like to welcome you and thank you for coming tonight to give us your feedback on this very important community project. The boards have worked diligently the last year and a half to determine the most cost-effective way to achieve our common goal of a fully functional and staffed station in Pleasant Hill, without compromising the service in Goshen. We have thoroughly considered all the options and all the board members are in agreement that the most cost-effective way to achieve this is the dissolution of the two districts and creation of a new fire district.

The purpose of these Town Hall meetings are to give you the facts and explain the challenges we are facing so that each one of you can make an informed decision. We realized that in 2020 we did a poor job of getting the information out to the community that we serve regarding our efforts and it may have left you feeling unable to make a fully informed decision.

For me personally I have realized that this combined effort solidifies long term service for both communities, while laying a path towards overcoming our current and future challenges. Operating the fire district with a 'One Team' attitude means that we collaborate together to improve service and ensure that ALL residents are served consistently and effectively with the absolute best service we can provide. I believe we have together determined the path both short term and long term to make this goal a reality. I hope you find tonight's meeting informative and demonstrating the work invested by your collective board of directors.

We appreciate you made the time to come tonight, and we look forward to your feedback.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Willie Bronson in black ink.

Willie Bronson  
Goshen President

Handwritten signature of Terry McDiarmid in black ink.

Terry McDiarmid  
Pleasant Hill President