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MEDIA RELEASE

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The voters of the District approved a proposition to impose a fire year 1.25mill non-renewable property tax for the purpose of building two fire stations. Complete, but unofficial, returns show the measure passed with 62% of the vote.

The Fire Chief has issued the following statement:

On behalf of the St. George Fire Department, I would like to offer our sincere thanks to the Citizens of our District for their vote of confidence on November 2nd.

Each of us at St. George, from the newest firefighter to myself, strives every day to earn and keep the public trust. To have received the approval of our Citizens to impose a tax to build two new fire stations at a time when that approval is more difficult for the voters to grant than any time in recent memory, is both gratifying and humbling.

We offer our continued pledge to remain good stewards of the public's money and to provide the very best emergency and public service response of which we are capable.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gerard C. Tarleton".

Gerard C. Tarleton, Fire Chief