



Washington Fire Chiefs

2015 Legislative Issues

Top 5 Issues

- Raise the E.M.S. levy cap to \$.75 /\$1000 of A.V.
- Funding of all-risk mobilization
- Public record request compliance funding
- Volunteer firefighter incentives
- Regional Fire Authorities

Important/Continuing Issues

- Funding to support FTA and regional training
- Eliminating barriers for residential fire sprinklers installation
- 10 year smoke alarms
- Non-toxic fire retardants in plastics
- GEMT enabling legislation

The issues were established through member survey in May 2014, as refined by the legislative committee, County Association Presidents meeting and the WFC Board.

Additional issues will be identified and prioritized throughout the legislative process