

**JEFFERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Board of County Commissioners
Philip Morley, County Administrator

FROM: Raina Randall, Deputy Clerk of the Board

DATE: June 6, 2011

SUBJECT: PROCLAMATION re: KPTZ 91.9 FM Radio Station

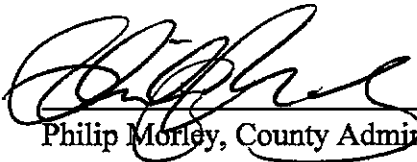
STATEMENT OF ISSUE:

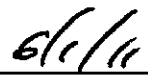
Colin Foden requested the Board of County Commissioners to approve the attached proclamation.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve Proclamation re: KPTZ 91.9 FM Radio Station

REVIEWED BY:


Philip Morley, County Administrator


Date

Proclamation

WHEREAS, a local community radio station contributes to the quality of life in the community; and

WHEREAS, community members have access to an FM radio service that is educational, entertaining, informative and relevant; and

WHEREAS, members of the community have an inclusive forum through which to express their ideas, opinions and concerns; and

WHEREAS, the radio service is sustainable by community support and appreciation of high quality in the areas of broadcasting, management, funding and programming; and

WHEREAS, the community is provided with an eclectic variety of music, arts, issues and current events; and

WHEREAS community radio is part of the emergency preparedness system; and

WHEREAS, signal coverage includes Port Townsend, Chimacum, Quilcene, Port Hadlock, Irondale, Whidby Island, Sequim and Port Angeles; and

WHEREAS, the community recognizes the work of the all-volunteer members of the working Board, Colin Foden President, Ann Katzenbach Secretary, Collin Brown Treasurer, Lawrence Stein Programming, William Putney Engineer, and former Board member Sherry Jones in building the community radio station; and

WHEREAS the community also recognizes the invaluable assistance of scores of volunteers including Nancy Sendler, Lou Schneider, Marilyn Butz, Barney Burke and Andrew Palmer; and

Now, therefore, be it proclaimed, by the Jefferson County Commissioners to recognize the first community radio station dedicated to serving Jefferson County which began broadcasting on May 14, 2011 as

KPTZ 91.9 FM Radio Port Townsend

and call upon the people of Jefferson County to join us in observing this occasion.

APPROVED this 6th day of June, 2011.

SEAL:

JEFFERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

John Austin, Chairman

ATTEST:

Phil Johnson, Member

Lorna Delaney, CMC
Clerk of the Board

David Sullivan, Member