

**JEFFERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Board of County Commissioners
Philip Morley, County Administrator

FROM: Carolyn Avery, Deputy Clerk of the Board

DATE: June 10, 2013

SUBJECT: PROCLAMATION re: Proclaiming the Week of June 17, 2013 as
Amateur Radio Week

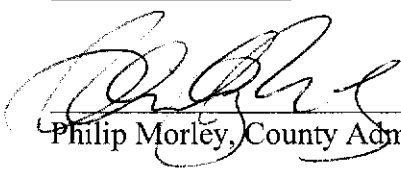
STATEMENT OF ISSUE:

Organizer John Ebner has requested that the Commissioners proclaim the week of June 17, 2013 as Amateur Radio Week. Field Day Events will take place on Saturday, June 22 and Sunday, June 23, 2013.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve Proclamation re: Proclaiming the week of June 17, 2013 as Amateur Radio Week.

REVIEWED BY:


Philip Morley, County Administrator


Date

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Jefferson County, Washington has more than 650 licensed Amateur Radio operators who have demonstrated their value in public assistance by providing emergency radio communications; and

WHEREAS, these Amateur Radio operators donate these services free of charge to the County, in the interest of the citizens of the County as well as the world; and

WHEREAS, these Amateur Radio operators are on alert for any emergency, local or world-wide, and practice their communication skills during the American Radio Relay League, Inc.'s Field Day exercise; and

WHEREAS, this years Amateur Radio Field Day will take place on June 22 & 23, 2013 at Fort Townsend State Park and the Port Townsend Maritime Center;

NOW, THEREFORE, Jefferson County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaim the week of June 17, 2013, as

Amateur Radio Week

in recognition of this important emergency preparedness exercise, and call upon all citizens to pay appropriate tribute to the Amateur Radio operators of our County.

PROCLAIMED this 10th day of June, 2013.

JEFFERSON COUNTY
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SEAL:

John Austin, Chairman

ATTEST:

Phil Johnson, Member

Carolyn Avery
Deputy Clerk of the Board

David Sullivan, Member