

**YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 4
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
SPECIAL MEETING
March 17, 2008**

Commission Chairman Gendron called the meeting to order at 6:30p.m. at East Valley Station 40. Those also present were Commissioners Les Riel, Dan McNulty, and Chief Warren Gay.

Chairman Gendron called the meeting to order and conducted the Pledge of Allegiance.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Commission Chairman Gendron announced an Executive Session as per RCW 42.30.110 (g) for approximately 1 to 1 ½ hours.

The meeting reconvened at 7:55 p.m.

Chairman Gendron made a motion that Chief Gay is to be placed on suspension for two weeks. During this time, Brian Snure will be contacted to conduct an investigation with career staff and Chief Gay. During his suspension period, Chief Gay is to not have any contact with his career staff and/or personnel of this district. Commissioner Riel seconded the motion with an addition that the two weeks that Chief Gay is suspended will be paid leave and pending investigation. Commissioner Gendron stated that the suspension time could be longer if everything was not accomplished within the two week time frame. In addition, the leave could be longer due to Chief Gay being on previously scheduled vacation and any concerns that may arise with Brian Snure and/or who he may suggest to conduct the investigation. Commissioner Riel seconded the motion. Commissioner Gendron asked that all those in favor of the motion say "I". All Commissioners were in favor. Motion passed. Commissioner Gendron asked Chief Gay if he understood everything that was discussed with him. Chief Gay stated that he did.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:00p.m.

ATTEST:

Commission Chairman

District Secretary

Commissioner

Commissioner