

RESOLUTION NO. 2025- 9020

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE STATUS OF THE CRESCENT MILLS FIRE DISTRICT BY THE PLUMAS COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors has become aware that certain individuals have claimed to have some connection or hold themselves forward as duly appointed/elected employees of the Crescent Mills Fire District; and,

WHEREAS, the Crescent Mills Fire District's last sitting Board was in 2021 and since that time, there has been no duly appointed Board for the Crescent Mills Fire Department and so the Crescent Mills Fire Department has no authority to perform any actions.; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code § 1780, should the membership of a District Board fall below a quorum, the Board of Supervisors of the county representing the larger portion of the district area may appoint a person to a vacancy or may order a district to call an election and this has not occurred; and,

WHEREAS, The Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) had a public hearing to consider initiation of consolidation of IVCSD and CMFPD which passed via Resolution 2024-0004 on September 30, 2024, and LAFCO is empowered to initiate consolidation according to Government Code Section 56375(a)(2)(A); and,

WHEREAS, the Indian Valley Community Services District is currently responding to emergency calls from the Crescent Mills Fire District and so public safety will not be impacted.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Plumas County Board of Supervisors as follows:

1. Board of Supervisors acknowledges the status of the Crescent Mills Fire District as defunct in that with no sitting Board, there can be no authorization for any expenditures, no authorization for any actions, and no drawing on any funds for expenses
2. Board of Supervisors emphasizes that there is no authority for anyone to utilize any property belonging to the Crescent Mills Fire District until the consolidation is complete, and any usage of vehicles, buildings, or property belonging to the Crescent Mills Fire Department is not authorized.
3. The Board of Supervisors agrees and approves of LAFCO's decision to consolidate CMFD into the IVCSD.

The foregoing Resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Plumas, State of California, at a regular meeting of said Board held on the 13th day of May 2025 by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors: Goss, Hall, Engel, Ceresola, McGowan

NOES:

ABSENT:

ATTEST:



Allen L. Hiskey, Clerk of the Board



Kevin Goss Chair, Board of Supervisors

Approved as to form:



Joshua Brechtel, Attorney
County Counsel's Office