

May 17, 2005 Special Election Summary

District	Issue	Required to Pass
<p style="text-align: center;">City of Edgewood 253-952-3299</p>	<p>The Edgewood City Council passed Ordinance 04-0227 concerning a utility tax on the gross revenues of those engaged in the telephone business, cable TV business, the distribution of natural gas, electricity and water, storm water and solid waste collection. This ordinance would establish a 5% utility tax on gross revenues on the telephone business, cable TV business, the distribution of natural gas, electricity and water, storm water and solid waste collections; establish standards and procedures for collection of the tax and penalties for failure to register or pay the tax; and provide for utility tax credits for eligible low income households.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Simple majority</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Steilacoom Historical School District No. 1 253-983-2200</p>	<p>General Obligation Bonds for \$55,900,000 maturing within 21 yrs to construct and equip a new middle school, complete Chloe Clark Elementary School, upgrade and modernize the High School and make other capital improvements and additions to District facilities, all as provided Resolution 523-03-23-05.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">3,263 TOTAL votes + a 60% favorable margin</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">East Pierce Fire & Rescue (Fire Protection District No. 22) 253-863-1800</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Increase the Board of Fire Commissioners from three to five.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Simple majority</p>