

House Ad Hoc Study Committee on San Tan Valley Fire Coverage

PURPOSE: To solicit information and discuss issues surrounding fire coverage in San Tan Valley, Arizona. The Study Committee shall hear from stakeholders and residents on current challenges and limitations as well as proposed solutions to improve fire coverage in growing suburban areas which lack jurisdictional fire authority. The Study Committee shall publish a report of its findings on or before December 31, 2023.

MEMBERSHIP:

House Three members of the House of Representatives, not more than two from the same political party and one designated as Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Neal Carter (Chair), Alexander Kolodin, Anastasia "Stacey" Travers

Other One member who is a representative of an organization of fire fighters in Arizona:
Mr. Thomas Caretto

One member who is a representative of an organization of fire districts in Arizona:

Mr. John Flynn, Arizona Fire Districts Association

One member of the Pinal County Board of Supervisors:

Mr. Mike Goodman, Pinal County Board of Supervisors

One member who is a representative of an organization of cities and towns in Arizona:

Mr. Marshall Pimentel, Arizona League of Cities and Towns

One member who is a representative of an organization providing fire coverage services in the San Tan Valley area of Arizona:

Chief Tim Soule, Rural Metro

One member who is a representative of a statewide organization of taxpayers and has experience in jurisdictional fire coverage issues:

Ms. Jennifer Stielow, Arizona Tax Research Association

Notes: A majority of the members of the Committee constitutes a quorum. The Committee shall meet at any place deemed necessary or convenient by the Chairperson.

CONTACT: Nathan McRae, House Research Staff

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REPORT DATE: 12/31/23

EXPIRATION DATE: 10/31/24

STATUTORY CITE: Ad Hoc created by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.