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Tillamook Fire District

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ISO Public Protection Classification Results

Tillamook Fire District received official notice on May 19, 2003 from ISO (Insurance Services Office, Inc.) on the results of the "Public Protection Classification" survey that was conducted during the previous year. The protection survey provides statistical, underwriting, and actuarial information for the property/casualty insurance that most insurers use for underwriting and calculating insurance premiums for residential, commercial and industrial properties.

Tillamook Fire District is pleased to report that the result of that survey is a rate classification of Class 4/8B for all property located within five (5) road miles of a fire station. This is an improvement from the former classification of Class 5/9 from 1990. This means the district has made some significant improvements in the community's fire suppression services in the face of shrinking budgets and a changing environment.

Total Credit

	1990		2002	
	Maximum		Maximum	
Receiving Handling Alarms	8.50%	10.00%	6.50%	10.00%
Fire Department	25.14%	50.00%	29.07%	50.00%
Water Supply	28.70%	40.00%	28.39%	40.00%
*Divergence	4.30%		2.57%	
Total Points	58.04		61.39	
ISO Rating	5		4	

The public protection survey evaluates three primary categories and a comparison of the 1990 survey and 2002 survey is provided above.