



AMITY FIRE DISTRICT

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Amity Fire District Property Taxes to Lower

While Amity Firefighters are out suppressing wildfires across Western Oregon, District administration has secured a new lower interest rate of 1.18% for the station bond. The previous rate was as high as 4.85% on the 21 year bond passed by voters in May of 2008. This lower interest rate is expected to save tax payers approximately \$425,000.00 over the next 9 years. Originally the cost to taxpayers was \$1.07 per \$1,000 of assessed tax value. The refinance will reduce that to an estimated rate of \$ 0.75 per \$1,000 of assessed tax value in 2020.