

RESOLUTION NO. R-2019-

A RESOLUTION authorizing an agreement with Health Care Authority, in the amount of \$299,988 to develop a program to assist individuals suffering from mental health and other issues.

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima was notified last fall that it was the recipient of a 5 year federal Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) grant for the Washington State Healthy Transitions Project; and

WHEREAS, the City has identified the Yakima School District, ESD 105, Comprehensive Mental Health and other agencies as partners in developing a program to assist individuals between the ages of 16-25 suffering from health related issues; and

WHEREAS, services that will be provided as part of the program include behavioral health services, physical health services, independent living skills, peer support, and community-based recovery support; and

WHEREAS, although the grant award is for a five year period, receipt of funds each year will require individuals annual contracts; and

WHEREAS, the scope of work and budget meet the needs and requirements of the City of Yakima for this project, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YAKIMA:

The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a Professional Services Contract with Health Care Authority for developing a Healthy Transitions Project for the City of Yakima.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 20th day of August, 2019.

Kathy Coffey, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk