## CITY OF YAKIMA PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Veterans Day is a day set aside to honor military veterans and is a national holiday observed throughout the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima wishes to recognize Veterans Day in a manner which will encourage its citizens to focus on the commitment and sacrifice made by its veterans;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Kathy Coffey, Mayor of the City of Yakima and on behalf of the Yakima City Council, do hereby proclaim that on November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and on each November 11<sup>th</sup> thereafter the citizens of Yakima, at the beginning of the 11<sup>th</sup> hour, pause in their activities and cease talking for a period of one (1) minute, as a means of honoring all veterans.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019

Kathy Coffey, Mayor