

**RESOLUTION NO. R-2020-**

**A RESOLUTION** relating to administration; extending Alex Meyerhoff's term as the Interim City Manager to either December 31, 2020 or the hiring and swearing in of a new City Manager, whichever first occurs.

**WHEREAS**, the City Council is authorized by the Yakima City Charter and RCW 35.18.140 to appoint an interim city manager at such time as the previous City Manager is no longer available to serve in that position; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council identified Alex Meyerhoff as the Interim City Manager in November, 2019 and entered an Agreement with him to serve in that role for a six-month term that could be extended as necessary; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has determined to move forward with a formal City Manager hiring process and would like to extend Mr. Meyerhoff's contract through *either* December 31, 2020 *or* the hiring and swearing in of a new City Manager, whichever shall first occur; and

**WHEREAS**, Alex Meyerhoff has agreed to the extension of his term as Interim City Manager in accordance with the terms set forth in Amendment No. 1 to the underlying Employment Agreement, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference; now, therefore,

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

Alex Meyerhoff's term of employment as the Interim City Manager is extended through *either* December 31, 2020 *or* the hiring and swearing in of a new City Manager, whichever shall first occur, as set forth in Amendment No. 1 to the Interim City Manager Employment Agreement, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL** this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2020.

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Patricia Byers, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk