

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-_____

AN ORDINANCE amending the City of Yakima Municipal Code Section 9.47.072 entitled Towing and impound of unlicensed vehicle.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF YAKIMA:

Section 1. Section 9.47.072 of the Yakima Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Chapter 9.47
VEHICLE IMPOUNDS**

9.47.072 Towing and impound of ~~U~~unlicensed ~~V~~vehicle.

Any unlicensed vehicle parked on a public street or parking lot within the City of Yakima ~~shall~~ **may** be towed and impounded at owner's risk and expense by a registered tow truck operator, **after the owner is provided forty-eight hours notice of impoundment**, at the direction of a law enforcement officer or an authorized designee. **The procedure for contesting or redeeming an impounded vehicle shall be the same as stated in 9.47.040.**

**Chapter 9.47
VEHICLE IMPOUNDS**

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect 30 days after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law and by the City Charter.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, signed and approved this 2nd day of June, 2020.

ATTEST:

Patricia Byers, Mayor

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk

Publication Date:_____

Effective Date:_____