

**RESOLUTION NO. R-2020- \_\_**

**A RESOLUTION** authorizing a public defender agreement with Troy Lee and Associates.

**WHEREAS**, the City of Yakima is mandated by the State to provide representation for indigent criminal defendants; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager, under authority granted by the City Council, negotiated the Public Defender Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of these negotiations, the public defender agreed to perform public defender services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has determined that the proposed Public Defender Agreement for these years is in the best interest of the City of Yakima; now, therefore,

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

The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute a City of Yakima Public Defender Agreement with Troy Lee and Associates.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020.**

ATTEST:

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Patricia Byers, Mayor

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Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk