

RESOLUTION NO. R-2021-_____

A RESOLUTION authorizing a lease agreement with the City of Tieton and Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District to lease 30 shares of Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District water to the City of Tieton for the water year 2021.

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima Water/Irrigation Division has 30 shares of Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District water assigned to the second level reservoir property on City Reservoir Road; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima Water/Irrigation Division is paying for 30 shares of water, but that water is currently not necessary to the City's operations; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tieton is in need of irrigation water and is willing to lease the water and pay more than the normal share cost to use the water; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tieton shall pay \$130 per share for a total amount of \$3,900 to the City of Yakima for the water year 2021; and

WHEREAS, leasing the water to the City of Tieton is mutually beneficial because the City is reimbursed for the cost of the water shares and the City of Tieton has use of the water in accordance with the attached agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the best interest of the City of Yakima and its residents to authorize the City Manager to execute the lease agreement with the City of Tieton and the Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District to lease 30 shares of irrigation water to the City of Tieton; now, therefore

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

The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the attached and incorporated agreement with the City of Tieton and the Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District for the lease of 30 shares of Yakima-Tieton Irrigation District water to the City of Tieton for the water year 2021.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 16th day of March 2021.

Patricia Byers, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk