



**MINUTES
YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL
STUDY SESSION
July 13, 2021
City Hall -- Council Chambers
5 p.m.**

1. Roll Call

Present: Mayor Patricia Byers, presiding, Councilmembers Kay Funk, Brad Hill (attended via telephone and present at 5:13 p.m.), Soneya Lund and Eliana Macias

Absent: Assistant Mayor Holly Cousens and Councilmember Jason White

Staff: City Manager Robert Harrison, City Attorney Sara Watkins and City Clerk Sonya Claar Tee

2. Public comment (allow 15 minutes)

None.

3. Domestic Violence Presentation

Chief Murray introduced the item and discussed the shared partnerships in our community. Lieutenant Chad Janis and Senior Assistant City Attorney Cynthia Martinez reviewed a PowerPoint presentation on domestic violence. Council members thanked the team for all they are doing to reduce domestic violence in our community.

4. Street Racing

Captain Shawn Boyle briefed Council on the item. City Attorney Watkins and Police Chief Murray discussed the current racing law, statistics associated with tickets issued and prosecuted, as well as answered questions. After discussion, Council agreed that the Fife model would not work well for the City of Yakima.

5. Adjournment

MOTION: Lund moved and Macias seconded to adjourn to the next City Council regular meeting on July 20, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall. The motion carried by unanimous vote, Cousens and White absent. The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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CITY CLERK

MAYOR

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