

RESOLUTION NO. R-2021-

A RESOLUTION approving the conditional settlement agreement entered into by Cities Insurance Association of Washington ("CIAW") and Munich Reinsurance to settle the claim brought against the City of Yakima by Marie Bossert

WHEREAS, on August 17, 2018, a lawsuit was filed in Yakima County Superior Court Case No. 18-2-02874-39 entitled *Marie Bossert v. City of Yakima*; and

WHEREAS, through a mediation, settlement with plaintiff Marie Bossert in the amount of \$400,000 was reached between CIAW and Munich Reinsurance to resolve and conclude plaintiff's claim in the matter; and

WHEREAS, plaintiff agreed to execute a Release agreement upon approval of the proposed settlement by the Yakima City Council; and

WHEREAS, the entire amount of the City of Yakima's portion of the settlement is to be paid by CIAW and Munich Reinsurance, and the City of Yakima is paying no money toward settlement of the plaintiff's claims; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Yakima deems it to be in the interest of the City to authorize the City Manager to consent to a settlement entered into by CIAW and the plaintiff to resolve and conclude plaintiff's claims, now, therefore,

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

The City of Yakima approves the settlement entered into by CIAW and Munich Reinsurance to resolve and settle the claims brought by the above-named plaintiff, which will be paid by CIAW and Munich Reinsurance. The City Manager and/or the City's legal counsel are hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to conclude settlement as consistent with this Resolution.

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

Patricia Byers, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk