

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-

AN ORDINANCE amending the City of Yakima Municipal Code Section 3.125.010, Clean City Fund.

WHEREAS, Chapter 3.125 of the Yakima Municipal Code establishes the Clean City Fund for the City of Yakima, which fund pays for a variety of services associated with the Clean City program; and

WHEREAS, on November 1, 2021, the City Council approved an increase in the refuse in-lieu tax under YMC 7.64.030 from 15% to 20%; and

WHEREAS, the increase in refuse in-lieu tax is intended to provide additional funding for the Clean City program; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Yakima finds and determines that YMC 3.125.010 should be amended to reflect the additional funding resource for the Clean City program, is in the public interest and best interest of the City and its residents; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF YAKIMA:

Section 1. Section 3.125.010 of the City of Yakima Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3.125.010 Clean City Fund

A. There is created the Clean City Fund.

B. The Clean City Fund shall consist of monies collected in utility tax imposed on waste systems' commercial refuse collection **and monies collected in garbage tax imposed under YMC 7.64.030** to meet program objectives of the Clean City program.

Section 2. This ordinance is one making appropriation and shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law and by the City Charter.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, signed and approved this 7th day of December, 2021.

ATTEST:

Patricia Byers, Mayor

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk

First Reading: November 16, 2021

Publication Date: _____

Effective Date: _____