

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-\_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE** adding Yakima Municipal Code Chapter 3.129 establishing a Parking Services Fund.

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to establish a fund entitled "Parking Services Fund" for the purpose of receiving revenues from on and off-street parking fees and monthly permit parking fees for use of city-owned parking lots; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to account for revenues and use those revenues for expenditures specifically related to city-owned parking lots and other on-street parking and downtown public spaces, including improvements, maintenance, operations, debt service and enhancement; and

**WHEREAS**, all funds received from parking revenue shall be placed in this Parking Services Fund and used for the purposes outlined herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council for the City of Yakima finds that it is in the best interests of the city and its residents to create the Parking Services Fund and have parking revenue be used for operation, maintenance, improvement and enhancement of parking facilities and the downtown area; now, therefore,

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF YAKIMA:**

**Section 1.** Chapter 3.129: Parking Services Fund, is hereby added to the Yakima Municipal Code to read as follows:

Chapter 3.129  
PARKING SERVICES FUND

Sections:

- 3.129.010 Creation of Parking Services Fund
- 3.129.020 Parking Services Fund revenues and expenditures
- 3.129.030 Central Business District sub-fund
- 3.129.040 Authority to create additional sub-funds

**3.129.010 Creation of Parking Services Fund.** There is created a fund for the purpose of segregating transactions relating to parking. This fund shall be known as Parking Services Fund 128.

**3.129.020 Parking Services Fund revenues and expenditures.** The Parking Services Fund shall consist of monies collected from parking fees generally, enforcement of parking ordinances, and monthly permit parking fees for the purpose of establishing, constructing, maintaining, operating, improving, and enhancing the parking facilities and adjacent publicly-owned improvements or facilities in the City of Yakima.

**3.129.030 Central Business District sub-fund.** There shall be created a sub-fund in the Parking Services Fund that will receive all revenue received from Parking

Services Fund revenues from parking within the central business zoning district of the City of Yakima. Revenues from parking within the central business zoning district will be used for the purpose of establishing, constructing, maintaining, operating, improving, and enhancing the parking facilities and adjacent publicly-owned improvements or facilities within the central business district.

**3.129.040 Authority to create additional sub-funds.** The Finance Director has the authority to establish additional sub-funds under the Parking Services Fund created under section 3.129.010 to ensure that parking revenue is utilized for relevant parking and public expenditures.

**Section 2.** This Ordinance is creating a new Parking Services Fund 128 and adopting City of Yakima Municipal Code Chapter 3.129, Parking Services Fund, 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 13th day of December, 2022.

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Janice Deccio, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk

Publication Date:  
Effective Date: