RESOLUTION NO. R-2023-

A RESOLUTION authorizing grant applications to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) for Capital Improvement Projects for the Yakima Air Terminal Building Modernization project at the Yakima Air Terminal-McAllister Field.

WHEREAS, the City owns and operates the Yakima Air Terminal-McAllister Field in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and Local regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Aviation Administration makes federal grants available to airports to maintain and improve airport facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Yakima Air Terminal-McAllister Field has been notified that grant funds may be available to maintain and/or improve the airport upon submission of completed grant applications and satisfaction of certain conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Yakima Air Terminal-McAllister Field has recently completed an Airport Master Plan Update, which details a variety of Federal Aviation Administration required capital improvement projects, including construction and extension of the airport's Terminal Facility's infrastructure. Terminal Building Modernization Project - Phase 1A will include the design and bidding phase in preparation for construction.

WHEREAS, the grant applications will request a total of approximately One Million Three Hundred Thirty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty Three Dollars (\$1,333,333) dollars in Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) grant funding administered by the Federal Aviation Administration, of which the Federal Aviation Administration will provide up to 90% of the funds needed for capital improvements and the airport will match amount of \$133,333 through its Passenger Facility Charge program for said projects.

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it to be in the best interest of the City and its residents to authorize submission of the grant applications to the Federal Aviation Administration for grant funds needed to accomplish the identified capital improvements and, if grant funds are awarded, to accept the funds for the purposes identified in the grant application, now, therefore,

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

The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to submit and complete grant applications to the Federal Aviation Administration for the Yakima Air Terminal Building Modernization project for the Yakima Air Terminal-McAllister Field.

If grant funds are awarded, the City Manager is further authorized and directed to accept and spend said grant funds to be applied to the purposes specified above.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 3rd day of October, 2023.

ATTEST:

Janice Deccio, Mayor

Rosalinda Ibarra, City Clerk