

RESOLUTION NO. R-2024-

A RESOLUTION authorizing the Interim City Manager of the City of Yakima to execute an interagency agreement with the Washington State Department of Commerce through the Law Enforcement Vehicle Pursuit Technology Grant Program.

WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Commerce through the Law Enforcement Vehicle Pursuit Technology Grant is providing an opportunity for law enforcement agencies to acquire equipment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima Police Department has been awarded \$150,000 to acquire the equipment,

WHEREAS, any acquisition will save the City of Yakima the cost of purchasing needed equipment elsewhere,

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima Police Department has experienced an increase in vehicle pursuit in the last three years.

AND WHEREAS, the equipment purchased will assist the City of Yakima and the Yakima Police Department in their mission to deter crime and apprehend those who commit crimes with a focus on vehicle pursuits.

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

The Interim City Manager of the City of Yakima is hereby authorized and directed to sign the attached and incorporated Interagency Agreement between the City of Yakima and the Washington State Department of Commerce.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 19th day of March, 2024 .

Patricia Byers, Mayor

ATTEST:

Rosalina Ibarra, City Clerk