



**BUSINESS OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
YAKIMA, WASHINGTON  
AGENDA STATEMENT**

Item No. 7.H.  
For Meeting of: March 17, 2026

**ITEM TITLE:** Ordinance amending the City of Yakima Municipal Code Chapter 1.70  
Police Department Service Fees

**SUBMITTED BY:** Craig Warner, Director of Finance and Budget

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION:**

The proposed ordinance eliminates Police Department service fees in Chapter 1.70. These fees are now part of the Master Fee Schedule. The proposed action is a housekeeping measure.

The City of Yakima consolidates and updates fee provisions by placing them within the Master Fee Schedule to allow for greater flexibility and annual review by resolution. Ordinance No. 2022-040 initiated this transition for certain Police Department service fees.

A subsequent review identified residual language in Chapter 1.70 that was not fully removed at that time. The proposed ordinance completes the intended cleanup effort and prevents confusion regarding the location and authority of Police Department service fees.

**ITEM BUDGETED:** N/A

**STRATEGIC PRIORITY 24-25:** A Resilient Yakima

**RECOMMENDATION:** Pass Ordinance.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[Ordinance\\_amend YMC 1.70 police dept service fees](#)

[Exhibit A\\_YMC 1.70 scrubbed](#)

[Exhibit A\\_1.7 red line](#)