



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

Item No. 5.A.  
For Meeting of: June 17, 2025

**ITEM TITLE:** Council Nominating Committee recommendations regarding appointments to boards, commissions, and committees

**SUBMITTED BY:** Reedy Berg, Chair

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION:**

The Council Nominating Committee met on June 9, 2025 and made the following recommendations for appointments and reappointments:

- **Public Facilities District Board** - reappoint Ryan Beckett and appoint W. Sheldon Butler
- **Henry Beauchamp Jr. Community Center Advisory Committee** - reappoint James Parks
- **Historic Preservation Commission** - reappoint Paul Edmondson and Cynthia Hall
- **Parks and Recreation Commission** - reappoint Rod Bryant and appoint Bruce Whitmore
- **Tree City USA Board** - reappoint Jheri Ketcham (Yakima Arboretum representative) and appoint Jacob Nowlin

**ITEM BUDGETED:**

**STRATEGIC PRIORITY 24-25:** An Engaged Yakima

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve recommendations.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

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