



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

Item No. 6.A.
For Meeting of: December 9, 2025

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

SUBMITTED BY: Danny Herrera, Chair

SUMMARY EXPLANATION:

The Council Nominating Committee met on November 17, 2025 and made the following recommendation:

- **Arts Commission** - appoint Brandon Dean and change Sylvia Merczel from the Community Rep position to the Working Artist position
- **Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee** - reappoint Jennifer Gindt and Frank Purdy
- **Lodging Tax Advisory Committee** - reappoint Sarah Davila and Kathy Kramer

ITEM BUDGETED:

STRATEGIC PRIORITY 24-25: An Engaged Yakima

RECOMMENDATION: Approve recommendations.

ATTACHMENTS:

[11.17.2025 Minutes_Council Nominating Committee](#)