



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

Item No. 8.H.  
For Meeting of: January 6, 2026

**ITEM TITLE:** Resolution authorizing an Interlocal Agreement with the City of Union Gap for limited operation of City of Yakima Paratransit Services between the jurisdictions

**SUBMITTED BY:** Scott Schafer, Public Works Director  
Jim Hogenson Transit Manager

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION:**

The City of Yakima operates paratransit service (Dial-A-Ride) as part of Yakima Transit Mass transportation service where the residents of Yakima occasionally require to be picked up or dropped off outside the city limits. Federal regulation 49 CFR 37.131 allows us to provide the paratransit service three-quarters-of-a-mile from any Yakima transit Fixed route. The interlocal agreement with the City of Union Gap helps us to continue to provide the paratransit service that the residents of Yakima need.

**ITEM BUDGETED:** No

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

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt Resolution.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[Resolution](#)  
[Interlocal Agreement Union Gap 2025.pdf](#)