



City of Yakima

# **News Release**

**Subject: Yakima City Council Review for meeting on July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

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## **Yakima City Council July 18<sup>th</sup> Business Meeting Review**

The Yakima City Council met for a regular business meeting last night, Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>.

Action by the Council on July 18<sup>th</sup> included:

- Receiving a report regarding the proposed YMCA aquatics/fitness center facility at Chesterley Park and an update from the YMCA on its fundraising efforts for the proposed project.
- Discussion on the next steps regarding purchase by the City of property currently owned by Congdon Development Company, LLC.
- Authorizing contracts with Yakima Valley Partners Habitat for Humanity not to exceed \$165,000 of HOME Investment Funds to build four single-family residential units.
- Receiving an update on Camp Hope, a temporary homeless camp on City-owned property.
- Approving an airport-use agreement with the United States Air Force to lease property for the 2017 Mobility Guardian military exercise from July 31<sup>st</sup> to August 12<sup>th</sup>.

Follow this link to watch Y-PAC coverage of the July 18<sup>th</sup> Yakima City Council meeting-  
<http://bit.ly/2uD7sYJ>

Yakima City Council meetings air live on Charter Cable Channel 194 and are replayed at 7:00 pm the following night. The meetings are shown again at 9:00 am on the following Saturday and Sunday and are also available on the City of Yakima website .  
<http://www.yakimawa.gov/>.

The City Council will hold a retreat at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, at the City Training Facility, 421 East Chestnut Avenue. The Council's next regular business meeting will take place at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, in Council Chambers at Yakima City Hall, 129 North Second Street.