



City of Yakima

# **News Release**

**Subject: Masks required on buses, at airport**

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## **Masks Required on Yakima Transit Buses, at Yakima Airport**

Due to ongoing federal requirements, Yakima Transit employees and passengers will need to continue wearing masks/face coverings while on board the bus and utilizing Dial-A-Ride services.

The mask requirement related to public transportation is in place through April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022 per a federal Transportation Security Administration (TSA) [announcement](#) yesterday, Thursday. The federal mask requirement may be extended beyond this date.

“While the Washington state mask mandate for most public indoor settings ends this Saturday, the federal TSA order takes precedent,” said Yakima Transit Manager Alvie Maxey.

The TSA mask requirement also applies to passengers and personnel at the Yakima Airport terminal and on flights.

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