

# AGENDA REQUEST FORM

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Yakima County Commissioners' Office, Room 232

Prepared by:

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Department: Corporate Counsel

Requested Agenda Date: 01/13/2026

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APPROVED FOR AGENDA:

☐ Consent

☐ Regular

Board of County Commissioners Determined

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING SETTLEMENT OF CLAIM No. 37-2025 FILED BY JERI DALE.

Action Requested: Check Applicable Box

- ☒ PASS RESOLUTION ☐ EXECUTE or AMEND **AGREEMENT** CONTRACT or GRANT  
☐ ISSUE PROCLAMATION ☐ PASS ORDINANCE ☐ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Fiscal Impact:

\$3,335.48

Background Information:

Ms. Dale claims Yakima County should pay her \$3,335.48 to resolve damages and medical treatment arising from a vehicle collision involving a County grader on October 29, 2025.

Summary & Recommendation:

Recommend payment of Claim No. 37-2025

Motion:

Department Head/ Elected Official

Hefanie Wagand for  
Joe Brust

Signature

**AGREEMENT** Attached Is Approved as to Form  
Corporate Counsel Initial

BTW

Late Agenda Requests Require BOCC Chairman Signature:

# BOARD OF YAKIMA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

## RESOLUTION

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING  
SETTLEMENT OF CLAIM No. 37-2025  
FILED BY JERI DALE

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**WHEREAS** Ms. Jeri Dale claims Yakima County should pay her Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$3,335.48) to resolve claims arising from a vehicle collision involving a County grader on October 29, 2025; **and,**

**WHEREAS,** the Corporate Counsel Division of the Yakima County Prosecuting Attorney's Office has investigated Jeri Dale's claim and recommends settlement of all claims relating to the Incident, without admission of liability by any party, by payment of Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$3,335.48) to Jeri Dale, in exchange for a complete settlement and release of all claims relating to the Incident; **and,**

**WHEREAS,** the Washington Counties Risk Pool (WCRP), subject to reimbursement by Yakima County, will prepare and deliver payment of Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$3,335.48) to Jeri Dale as settlement of this claim; **now therefore,**

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED,** by the Board of Yakima County Commissioners that Yakima County pay Jeri Dale Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$3,335.48) to settle all claims relating to the Incident, without admission of liability by any party; **now, therefore,**

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Prosecuting Attorney's Office, Corporate Counsel is authorized and directed to provide a copy of this resolution to Assistant Chief Civil Prosecuting Attorney Stefanie Weigand so that she may arrange for payment from Yakima County Fund 520 for a total of Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$3,335.48) to reimburse the Washington Counties Risk Pool for the settlement payment. The Assistant Chief Civil Prosecuting Attorney is further authorized to take whatever actions are reasonable and prudent to conclude the settlement provided by this resolution.

**DONE this 13th day of January, 2026.**

*Attest:*

Julie Lawrence, Clerk of the Board *or*  
Erin Franklin, Deputy Clerk of the Board

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LaDon Linde, Chair

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Amanda McKinney, Commissioner

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Kyle Curtis, Commissioner  
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