

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: 04/28/2020

Presenting: Don Anderson

Document Title:

Board of County Commissioners Record Assigned
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APPROVED FOR AGENDA:
 Consent Regular
Board of County Commissioners Determined

In the matter of approving settlement of Claim No. 18-2020 filed by Arnaldo Almonte.

Action Requested: *Check Applicable Box*


PASS RESOLUTION EXECUTE or AMEND AGREEMENT CONTRACT or GRANT
 ISSUE PROCLAMATION PASS ORDINANCE OTHER _____

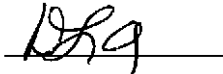
Describe Fiscal Impact:
\$1,886

Background Information:
Mr. Almonte's truck was damaged in an accident with a Yakima County Sheriff. Mr. Almonte is now requesting payment for his down time.

Summary & Recommendation:
Recommend payment of the negotiated settlement amount.

Motion:

Department Head/ Elected Official

Signature

AGREEMENT Attached Is Approved as to Form
Corporate Counsel Initial 

Late Agenda Requests Require BOCC Chairman Signature:

BOARD OF YAKIMA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
RESOLUTION

**IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING
SETTLEMENT OF CLAIM No. 18-2020
FILED BY ARNOLDO ALMONTE**

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WHEREAS, Mr. Almonte claims that Yakima County should pay him \$3,086 for down time associated with getting his truck repaired after being involved in an accident with a Yakima County Sheriff deputy on January 20, 2020 (the Incident); **and**,

WHEREAS, the Corporate Counsel Division of the Yakima County Prosecuting Attorney's Office has investigated Mr. Almonte's claim and recommends settlement of all claims relating to the Incident, without admission of liability by any party, by payment of the negotiated settlement amount of One Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (\$1,886) to Arnaldo Almonte, 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 One Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (\$1,886) to Arnaldo Almonte, as settlement of this claim; **now therefore**,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Board of Yakima County Commissioners that Yakima County pay Arnaldo Almonte One Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (\$1,886) 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 Chief Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Don Anderson so that he may arrange for payment from Yakima County Fund 520 of a total of \$1,886 (One Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars) to reimburse the Washington Counties Risk Pool for the settlement payment. The Chief Civil Deputy is further authorized to take whatever actions are reasonable and prudent to conclude the settlement provided by this resolution.

DONE this 28th day of April, 2020.

Attest:

Melissa Paul, *Clerk of the Board*

Linda Kay O'Hara, *Deputy Clerk*

Norm Childress, *Chairman*

Ron Anderson, *Commissioner*

Vicki Baker, *Commissioner*
Constituting the Board of County Commissioners
for Yakima County, Washington