

CITY OF LYNDEN

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



Meeting Date:	September 21, 2020	
Name of Agenda Item:	Terminate Agreement with YMCA	
Section of Agenda:	New Business	
Department:	Administration	
Council Committee Review:		Legal Review:
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Development	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes - Reviewed
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Works	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No - Not Reviewed
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parks	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: None	<input type="checkbox"/> Review Not Required
Attachments:		
Termination Agreement		
Summary Statement:		
<p>The Whatcom Family YMCA has operated the Lynden Recreation Center since 1997. It closed the facility March 17, 2020 due to issues arising from the COVID pandemic. The City is in the process of identifying a successor agency that can operate the facility into the future.</p> <p>The original Lease Agreement with the YMCA would terminate the agreement December 31, 2020. The City wishes to terminate the Agreement Oct. 1, 2020 because doing so will help facilitate transferring management of the facility to a new operator. Staff has contacted the YMCA and confirmed that the agency supports terminating the Agreement Oct. 1.</p>		
Recommended Action:		
Approve termination of the Lease Agreement with the Whatcom Family YMCA.		