

## YAKIMA VALLEY VISITORS & CONVENTION BUREAU, INC.

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Executive Committee Yakima Valley Society for the Preservation of Early Western Americana % Mr. John Noel, Jr., Chairman 1001 South First Street Yakima, Washington

Dear Sirs:

The Yakima Valley Visitors and Convention Bureau has been honored to serve with your committee as advisory members in the finalizing of the plans for the Yakima Gannon museum.

We further feel that the operation of the Tourist and Convention Bureau located in the southeast corner of the proposed building for the museum would be complimentary to the museum, the public, and ourselves.

We could properly serve the tourists and convention visitors with brochures and information on Yakima and the State of Washington, and feel this would be an asset that would promote a larger attendance at the museum.

We are not in a position to pay rent on this approximate 1,000 square feet of space but believe our past and present efforts on this project justify this request.

Thank you for your early consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Alex Deccio,

President

Robert N. Bargewel

Manager

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