CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7176.01

A BYLAW TO AMEND "INTER-COMMUNITY BUSINESS LICENCE BYLAW 2013 NO. 7176"

WHEREAS Council may, pursuant to Section 8(6) of the *Community Charter*, regulate in relation to business;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to Section 14 of the *Community Charter*, two or more municipalities may, by bylaw adopted by the Council of each participating municipality, establish an Inter-Community scheme in relation to one or more matters;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to Section 15(1) of the *Community Charter*, Council may provide terms and conditions that may be imposed for obtaining, continuing to hold or renewing a licence, permit or approval and specify the nature of the terms and conditions and who may impose them;

AND WHEREAS Council has given notice of its intention to adopt this bylaw by publishing such notice in two consecutive issues of a newspaper, the last publication appearing not less than three (3) and not more than ten (10) days before the hearing and has provided an opportunity for persons who consider they are affected by this bylaw to make representations to Council at a hearing pursuant to Section 59 of the *Community Charter*,

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Nanaimo in open meeting assembled, hereby ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. This bylaw may be cited as "Inter-Community Bussiness Licence Amendment Bylaw 2019 No 7176.01".
- 2. That "Inter-Community Business Licence Bylaw 2013 No. 7176" is hereby amended as follows:
 - a) By replacing the existing definition of "Participating Municipality" under Section 2 Definitions with the following:

"Participating Municipality" means the following local governments that have adopted this Inter-Community Business Licence Bylaw and any other municipalities that adopt this bylaw at a later date:

City of Campbell River City of Courtenay City of Duncan City of Nanaimo City of Parksville City of Port Alberni Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt District of Lantzville District of North Cowichan District of Sooke Town of Comox Town of Lake Cowichan Town of Ladysmith Town of Qualicum Beach Village of Cumberland

b) By replacing the existing Section 4 (a) in its entirety with the following:

"The fee for an Inter-Community Business Licence is \$170 and shall be paid in full at the time of application and will be retained by the Participating Municipality that issues the licence."

c) By adding Section 4 (c) as follows:

"The annual Inter-Community Business Licence fees prescribed in this bylaw may be reduced pro-rata in respect of any person who becomes liable to be licensed after the commencement of the licence period, on the same bases as the municipal business licence."

- d) By adding the following to Schedule A, Excluded Businesses:
 - 4. Cannabis-related businesses (a business which involves the sale of cannabis).
 - 5. Mobile food vending (food cart, food trailer, food truck).

PASSED FIRST READING:_____ PASSED SECOND READING:_____ PASSED THIRD READING:_____ ADOPTED:

MAYOR

CORPORATE OFFICER