

CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7004.17

A BYLAW TO AMEND THE WATERWORKS RATE AND REGULATION BYLAW

WHEREAS the Council has, by bylaw, provided for the classification of users and established terms, rates and conditions under which water facilities may be supplied and used throughout the City,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Council of the City of Nanaimo, in open meeting assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

Title

1. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the City of Nanaimo "Waterworks Rate and Regulation Amendment Bylaw 2021 No. 7004.17".

Amendment

2. "Waterworks Rate and Regulation Amendment Bylaw 2006 No. 7004" is hereby amended as follows:
 - (a) By deleting Schedule "A" in its entirety and replacing it with the attached Schedule "A".
 - (b) By deleting Schedule "B" in its entirety and replacing it with the attached Schedule "B".

Effective Date

3. This Bylaw shall take effect on January 1, 2022.

PASSED FIRST READING: 2021-DEC-06
PASSED SECOND READING: 2021-DEC-06
PASSED THIRD READING: 2021-DEC-06
ADOPTED: _____

MAYOR

CORPORATE OFFICER

SCHEDULE "A"

WATER RATES

1. A Minimum Service Rate of \$0.90398 dollars per day is hereby imposed on all properties.
2. The Minimum Service Rate referred to in Section 1 of this Schedule shall be levied and collected in any billing period.
3. In addition to the rates imposed pursuant to Section 1 of this Schedule, the following rates are hereby imposed upon all users and these rates shall be levied and collected for the proportionate amount of water consumed per day:
 - for the first 145 gallons, \$0.00190 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
 - for the next 75 gallons, \$0.00876 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
 - for the next 109 gallons, \$0.00921 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
 - for the next 219 gallons, \$0.00958 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
 - for the next 548 gallons, \$0.00991 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
 - all consumption over 1,096 gallons, \$0.01022 per gallon, or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
4. All rates charged, as set out above, shall be due and payable when levied which shall be subject to a discount of five (5) percent, provided rates for the current billing period are paid in full including all arrears then outstanding into the office of the Collector or his agents, on or before the close of business on the date set out on the billing form.
5. Interim bills based on the estimated water consumption may be levied and collected between billing periods.
6. Where more than one residential unit has consumption measured through a single meter, the City will calculate the charge for water in two ways:
 - (a) in the manner described in Sections 1 – 4 of this Schedule; and
 - (b) divide the total consumption by the number of units and use the average consumption per unit to calculate the charge as if each unit were a single family residence.

The City would then bill for the lower of the two amounts calculated above.

7. The Bulk Water rate shall be the highest rate of \$0.01022 (\$10.22/1,000 gallons) or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.
8. The Water Hauler rate for water hauling services, distributors and other contractors shall be the highest rate of \$0.01689 (\$16.89/1,000 gallons) or the equivalent in cubic feet and/or cubic metres.

SCHEDULE "B"

FIRELINE RATES

1. Single Meters:
 - (a) In the case of fireline service connections which are under 4 inches or 100 millimetres, rates levied and charged shall be on a minimum fee basis of \$0.89413 per day.
 - (b) In the case of fireline service connections which are 4 inches or 100 millimetres and over, rates levied and charged shall be on a minimum fee basis of \$1.50636 per day.
2. Combination Meters:
 - (a) In the case of fireline service connections which are under 4 inches or 100 millimetres (combination), rates levied and charged shall be on a minimum fee basis of \$0.44708 per day.
 - (b) In the case of fireline service connections which are 4 inches or 100 millimetres and over (combination), rates levied and charged shall be on a minimum fee basis of \$0.75319 per day.
3. All rates charged, as set out above, shall be due and payable when levied which shall be subject to a discount of five (5) percent, provided rates for the current billing period are paid in full including all arrears then outstanding into the office of the Collector or his agents, on or before the close of business on the date set out on the billing form.