CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7128.15

A BYLAW TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION BYLAW

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Nanaimo may, in accordance with the *Community Charter,* exercise its authority in relation to the use of waste disposal and recycling services, and impose fees and charges thereto:

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

<u>Title</u>

1. This Bylaw may be cited as "Municipal Solid Waste Collection Amendment Bylaw 2023 No. 7128.15".

<u>Amendments</u>

- 2. "Municipal Solid Waste Collection Bylaw 2011 No. 7128" is hereby amended as follows:
 - (1) By deleting Schedule "A" in its entirety and substituting with the attached Schedule "A".
 - (2) By deleting section 18 in its entirety and substituting with the attached section 18:
 - 18. Fees Discontinued
 - (1) Fees for the Municipal Solid Waste Collection System will only be discontinued if:
 - (a) the premises are permanently vacated;
 - (b) the premises are temporarily rendered uninhabitable because of fire or other similar disaster; or
 - (c) because of extended temporary vacancy, the owner of the premises has obtained a water disconnect permit from the City, in which case charges will resume when water service is reconnected.
 - (2) In the event where the premises is permanently vacated or temporarily rendered uninhabitable, the charge will be adjusted and stopped as of the date that the event happened, unless the written notification exceeds the one year-complaint time frame.

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Effective Date

3. This Bylaw shall take effect on January 1, 2024.

PASSED FIRST READING: 2023-DEC-04 PASSED SECOND READING: 2023-DEC-04 PASSED THIRD READING: 2023-DEC-04 ADOPTED: _____

MAYOR

CORPORATE OFFICER

SCHEDULE 'A'

RATES AND CHARGES

- 1. Solid waste collection fees are as follows:
 - i. Solid Waste Collection Fee Per dwelling unit (or equivalent) – Residential, Commercial or other premises receiving this service Additional fee for each garbage cart upsize
 ii. Cart Exchange & Additional Recycling carts Per 1 or more cart exchanged (at the same time) and per request for additional recycling cart
 iii. Bin Replacement
 Daily Charge \$0.624658
 \$0.289186
 Per occurrence \$60.00
 Per occurrence

Due to loss, damage or disposal of bin*

Per occurrence Actual cost

*The bin replacement fee may be waived in the event the loss or damage to the cart is not due to neglect and is not a repeat occurrence

2. 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 arrears then outstanding into the office of the Collector or their agents, on or before the close of business on the date set out on the billing form.