

CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7128.17

A BYLAW TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION BYLAW

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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:

Title

1. This Bylaw may be cited as “Municipal Solid Waste Collection Amendment Bylaw 2025 No. 7128.17”.

Amendments

2. “Municipal Solid Waste Collection Bylaw 2011 No. 7128” is hereby amended as follows:
  - 2.1 By deleting Schedule “A” in its entirety and substituting with the attached Schedule “A”.
  - 2.2 By amending Section 2. “Definitions” to include the following definition:

“DWELLING UNIT” means a habitable room consisting of a self-contained unit with a separate entrance for the residential accommodation of only one family and contains a cooking facility but excludes all accommodation for the travelling public other than a Short-Term Rental.

- 2.3 By deleting Section 9. “Additional Waste” in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

“9. Additional Waste

- (1) Additional Waste for users receiving Automated Collection Services
- (2) A Basic Service User who requires additional garbage collected must request an upsized cart from the City. Fees will apply as set out in Schedule A.
  - i. Each dwelling unit shall be entitled to one standard upsized of 120 litres in garbage collection capacity.

- (3) A Basic Service User who requires additional recycling collected must request an upsized recycling cart (or an additional cart) from the City. Fees will apply as set out in Schedule A.
  - i. Each dwelling unit shall be entitled to one standard upsized of 120 litres in recycling collection capacity.
- (4) No upsizing of the organic waste cart is permitted.
- (5) A Basic Service User may opt to change the size of their carts once every twelve months. Fees will apply as set out in Schedule A.”

Effective Date

3. This Bylaw shall take effect on January 1, 2026.

PASSED FIRST READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
PASSED SECOND READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
PASSED THIRD READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADOPTED: \_\_\_\_\_

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MAYOR

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CORPORATE OFFICER

## SCHEDULE 'A'

### RATES AND CHARGES

1. Solid waste collection fees are as follows:

<b>i. Solid Waste Collection Fee</b>	<b>Daily Charge</b>
Per dwelling unit (or equivalent) – Residential, Commercial or other premises receiving this service	\$0.69315
Additional fee for each garbage cart upsize	\$0.31925
<b>ii. Cart Exchange &amp; Additional Recycling carts</b>	<b>Per occurrence</b>
Per 1 or more cart exchanged (at the same time) and per request for additional recycling cart	\$60.00
<b>iii. Bin Replacement</b>	<b>Per occurrence</b>
Due to loss, damage or disposal of bin*	Actual cost
<b>iv. Cart Replacement/Repair Call Out Fee</b>	<b>Per occurrence</b>
For requests to replace/repair a cart that, under the opinion of the <i>General Manager, Engineering and Public Works</i> , is not in need or replacement or repair	\$60

\*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. The Solid Waste Collection Fees 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.