

## REGIONAL DISTRICT OF MOUNT WADDINGTON

# Community of Quatsino Solid Waste Service Rates and Regulations Bylaw No. 957, 2018

A bylaw to establish rates and regulations for the Community of Quatsino solid waste service.

**WHEREAS** the Regional District of Mount Waddington has adopted the Regional District of Mount Waddington Community of Quatsino Waste Management Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 859, 2010 which establishes the Community of Quatsino solid waste service;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Board of the Regional District of Mount Waddington in open meeting assembled enacts as follows:

#### **SECTION A: CITATION**

1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the "Regional District of Mount Waddington Community of Quatsino Solid Waste Service Rates and Regulations Bylaw No. 957, 2018".

#### **SECTION B: DEFINITIONS**

In this Bylaw:

"Allowable Garbage" means solid waste excluding Prohibited Waste generated from the residence, commercial or institutional property from which it is collected.

"Designated Fortnight Garbage Deposit Periods" means a set two-week period of time whereby an escalating tipping fee schedule (Schedule A) assesses the charge for dropping off garbage at the transfer station.

"Garbage" means and include any and all rejected, abandoned or discarded wastes, or vegetable or animal food, floor sweepings, crockery, glass or metal ware having contained foods, ashes, grass, hedge clippings or other garden refuse or rubbish except such garden refuse which, owing to its length or bulk, cannot be placed in the receptacle provided.

"Person" means an individual, a body corporate, a firm partnership, association, or any other legal entity or an employee or agent thereof.

"Prohibited wastes" include, Hazardous Waste and toxic waste as defined by Provincial and or Federal Agencies, liquid waste and flammable wastes, clean corrugated cardboard, materials having a provincially approved Product Stewardship Program and any other waste deemed prohibited by the RDMW from time to time.

"Property" means a fee simple property, a lease on crown land tenures, or a development created under the Strata Property Act or Bare Land Strata Regulations.

"Property owner" means the registered owner of fee simple property, lease holder of crown land tenures, or an owner of land or building in a development created under the Strata Property Act or Bare Land Strata Regulations.

- "RDMW" means the Regional District of Mount Waddington and includes authorised representatives of the Regional District of Mount Waddington or their duly authorised agents.
- "Recyclable Waste" means marketable, source separated waste that includes, but is not limited to, newspaper, paper, magazines, corrugated cardboard, boxboard, metals and materials designated in regulated industry stewardship programs.
- "Service Area" means the Community of Quatsino Waste Management Service Area as defined in the Bylaw No. 798, and includes any subsequent amendments to that service area boundary.
- "Site Regulations" means regulations, as described in Schedule "A" attached hereto.
- "Solid Waste" means refuse, recyclable waste, demolition, land clearing and construction waste, yard and garden waste, and controlled waste acceptable for disposal at the disposal site, but excluding prohibited waste.
- "Standard Garbage Container" means a container or bag of a capacity of not more than 100 litres; when full the container must not weigh more than 22.7kg (50 lbs).
- "Transfer Station" means the solid waste storage site located at the Community of Quatsino.

#### **SECTION C: SOLID WASTE REGULATIONS**

- 1. Every person depositing solid waste at the Transfer Station shall pay to the RDMW the applicable charges at the time and in the amount set out in Schedule "B" attached hereto.
  - A. The Ministry of Forests and Ministry of Transportation and Highways and other agencies on request may participate in the solid waste service;
- 2. Each Property shall be permitted, during a Designated Bi-Weekly Garbage Deposit Periods, to drop off to two Standard Garbage Containers of Allowable Garbage at the Transfer Station. Extra containers of garbage will not be accepted unless additional tipping fees as per Schedule A are paid.
- 3. Waste brought to the Transfer Station in non-Standard Garbage Containers of Allowable Garbage will be charged tipping fees as per Schedule A.
- 4. The permission allocated to a property to deposit two Standard Garbage Containers of Allowable Garbage waste at the Community of Quatsino Transfer Station is nontransferable.
- 5. No person shall deposit solid waste at the Transfer Station which does not originate from within the Community of Quatsino Waste Management Service Area, without the written permission of the RDMW.
- 6. No prohibited waste will be accepted at the Transfer Station.
- 7. No person shall leave garbage of any kind accessible to wildlife or domestic animals. It is the responsibility of property owners to clean-up litter or pollution originating from garbage on or from their property.

- 8. No person shall, in depositing solid waste at the Transfer Station:
  - Deposit solid waste except as directed by regulations for the use of the Transfer Station:
  - B. Act in a manner contrary to the posted site regulations;

### **SECTION D: SEVERABILITY**

1. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of the Bylaw is, for any reason, held to be invalid by a decision of any court or competent jurisdiction, the decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Bylaw.

> READ A FIRST TIME THIS 18th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2018 READ A SECOND TIME THIS 18th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2018 READ A THIRD TIME THIS 18th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2018 RECONSIDERED AND ADOPTED THIS DAY 18th OF SEPTEMBER, 2018

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# REGIONAL DISTRICT OF MOUNT WADDINGTON SCHEDULE "A" COMMUNITY OF QUATSINO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

### **TRANSFER STATION TIPPING FEES**

| TYPE OF WASTE  | FEE  |
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| Standard Garbage     Containers  | First two Standard Garbage Containers within a<br>Designated Fortnight Garbage Collection Period<br>No Charge  |
|  | Third and Fourth Standard Garbage Containers within a Designated Fortnight Garbage Collection Period \$3 each  |
|  | Fifth through Seventh Standard Garbage Containers within a Designated Fortnight Garbage Collection Period \$5 each   |
|  | Eighth and every subsequent Standard Garbage<br>Containers within a Designated Fortnight Garbage<br>Collection Period<br>\$7 each                                  |
| 2. Pickup Loads  | First two Pickup loads within a Designated Fortnight<br>Garbage Collection Period<br>\$30 (level to side walls) each   |
|  | Third through Fifth Pickup loads within a Designated Fortnight Garbage Collection Period \$50 (level to side walls) each   |
|  | Sixth and every subsequent Pickup loads within a<br>Designated Fortnight Garbage Collection Period<br>\$70 (level to side walls) each                              |
| 3. Bulky Waste: Mattresses, furniture, over 16" tires, tires with metal rims and oversized garbage containers                                | \$20 each  |
| 4. Sorted Recyclable Waste Currently accepted materials will be posted at the Transfer Station Site and on the RDMW website (www.rdmw.bc.ca) | FREE   |
|  | Loads Containing Prohibited Waste Will be Charged<br>as Per Above Rates Plus All Costs Associated With<br>Any Special Handling or Removal of Prohibited<br>Wastes. |