

CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE

BYLAW NO. 8245

A Bylaw to amend the "City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004".

WHEREAS Council enacted City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, to establish fees and charges set out for the City;

AND WHEREAS Council deems it desirable to amend the City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, by amending the fees and charges in Schedule "C", Section "C-4 – Fire Protection and Emergency Response", effective starting January 1, 2014;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Prince George, in open meeting assembled, **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, is hereby amended by deleting Section "C-4 Fire Protection and Emergency Response" in its entirety and replacing it with a new Section "C-4 Fire Protection and Emergency Response", as attached to and forming part of this bylaw as Appendix "A", effective January 1, 2014.
2. That the Table of Contents, contained in Section 1 of the City of Prince George Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, be amended accordingly.
3. The Mayor and Corporate Officer are hereby empowered to do all things necessary to give effect to this bylaw.
4. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, Amendment Bylaw No. 8245, 2013".

READ A FIRST TIME THIS THE **9th** DAY OF **SEPTEMBER** , **2013**.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS THE **9th** DAY OF **SEPTEMBER** , **2013**.

READ A THIRD TIME THIS THE **9th** DAY OF **SEPTEMBER** , **2013**.

All three readings passed by a **unanimous** decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.


THIRD READING RESCINDED THIS THE **4th** DAY OF **NOVEMBER** , **2013**.

Third reading rescinded by a **majority** decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.


READ A THIRD TIME AS AMENDED THIS THE **4th** DAY OF **NOVEMBER** , **2013**.

Third reading passed by a **majority** decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.

ADOPTED THIS THE **18th** DAY OF **NOVEMBER** , **2013**, BY A **UNANIMOUS** DECISION OF ALL MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL PRESENT AND ELIGIBLE TO VOTE.



MAYOR



CORPORATE OFFICER

**Schedule "A" to
Bylaw No. 8245, 2013**

**Schedule "C"
To Bylaw No 7557, 2004**

"C – 4"

PUBLIC SAFETY AND CIVIC FACILITIES

Fees and Charges for Fire Protection and Emergency Response

C-4 (a)

FEES FOR SERVICE

10.7	Burning Permits	\$ 150.00
11.1	Fire Safety Plan Review	\$ 180.00
21.	Permits:	
	Fireworks:	
	Fireworks Sales Permit	\$ 100.00
	Special Event/festival permits (consumer fireworks)	\$ 20.00
	Display Fireworks permit	\$ 100.00
	Pyrotechnics permit	\$ 250.00
	Fuel Tanks:	
	Removal of underground fuel storage tank	\$ 100.00
	Installation of aboveground fuel storage tank;	
	2,500 Litres (550 Gallons) to 25,000 Litres (6640 Gallons)	\$ 200.00
	Each litre over 25,000	.002 cents per litre
	Permit for the installation of underground fuel storage tanks:	
	Up to 5,000 Litres	\$ 100.00
	Up to 25,000 Litres	\$ 250.00
	Up to and exceeding 50,000 Litres	\$ 350.00
	Permit to install Liquid Petroleum Tank	\$ 100.00
21.7	Renewal of Permits	\$ 50.00
23.2	Fire Investigation Fee – damage in excess of \$ 5,000	\$ 500.00
23.3	Decontamination, repair or replacement of equipment	actual cost

23.4	Wildland Urban Interface – Existing Development	actual cost
23.5	Accumulation of Combustibles	actual cost
23.6	Exterior Waste Receptacles and Waste Material	actual cost
23.7	Burning Without A Burning Permit	actual cost to respond
23.8	Failure to Comply With Burning Permit	actual cost to respond
23.9	Securing a Vacant or Fire-Damaged Building	actual cost
23.10	Fire Watch Costs	actual cost of security company
23.11	Fire Protection Technician Costs	actual cost of Fire Protection Technician
23.12	Private Hydrant Testing	actual cost
23.13	Failure to Maintain Private Hydrant	actual cost
23.13	Failure to Maintain Access to Private Hydrant	actual cost
23.14	INSPECTION FEES	
	No access provided to property	\$ 150.00
	Property not in compliance	\$ 150.00
	Request for inspection	1 st Hour \$ 150.00
		Subsequent hours actual cost
23.15	Failure of Contact Persons to Attend	\$ 500.00 per hour (min. 1 hour) per occurrence
23.16	False Alarms	2 nd false alarm \$ 175.00
		3 rd false alarm \$ 350.00
		4 th & subsequent \$ 550.00
23.17	Provision of Comfort Letter	\$ 180.00
	Provision of Other Documents	\$ 20.00

C-4(b)
VEHICLE AND PERSONNEL CHARGES

VEHICLE COST

Aerial	\$ 250.00 per hour (minimum 2 hours)
Pumper	\$ 150.00 per hour (minimum 2 hours)
Rescue	\$ 100.00 per hour (minimum 2 hours)
Small Vehicles	\$ 60.00 per hour

PERSONNEL COST

A – Response: Charges for full-time staff responses will be based on the latest collective agreement between the City of Prince George and I.A.F.F Local 1372.

Cost per incident will be assessed on each hour or portion thereof, for units dispatched and the number of Fire Department personnel responding to the incident, including those placed on standby. In addition to the preceding Vehicle and Personnel Costs, the following charges will be assessed:

Consumable Goods	Replacement value plus all applicable taxes
Administration Fee	15%

B – Inspection: Charges for inspections will be based on the latest collective agreement between the City of Prince George and I.A.F.F Local 1372.

Cost per inspection will be assessed on each hour or portion thereof, for personnel and equipment required to perform the inspection. In addition to the preceding Personnel Costs, the following charges will be assessed:

Consumable Goods	Replacement value plus all applicable taxes
Administration Fee	15%