

CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE
BYLAW NO. 7779

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 the 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", to establish the fees and charges for fire protection and fireworks;

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", be amended by removing the existing Schedule "C-4" and replacing it with the Schedule "C-4", attached to and forming part of this bylaw as Appendix "A".
2. The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby empowered to do all things necessary to give effect to this bylaw.
3. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "City of Prince George Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004, Amendment Bylaw No.7779, 2006".

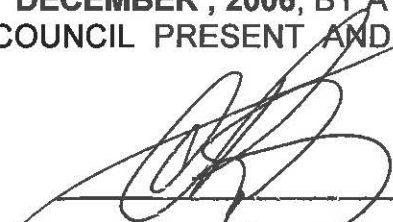
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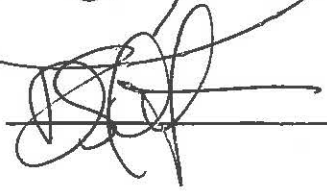
READ A THIRD TIME THIS THE **4th** DAY OF **DECEMBER , 2006.**

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

ADOPTED THIS THE **18th** DAY OF **DECEMBER , 2006**, BY A **UNANIMOUS** DECISION OF ALL MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL PRESENT AND ELIGIBLE TO VOTE.



MAYOR



CLERK

Appendix "A" to Bylaw No. 7779, 2006

SCHEDULE "C-4"
to Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw 7557, 2004

C-4(a)
COST RECOVERY

SECTION	DESCRIPTION	COST RECOVERY
3.9.1 Recovery of costs for securing buildings damages by fire	Cost recovery for work done	Actual costs as invoiced
3.9.5 Compliance with Order	Cost recovery for work done	Actual costs as invoiced
3.9.10 Recovery of default costs	Cost recovery for work done	Actual costs as invoiced
3.9.11 Inspections and Equipment	Cost recovery for work done	Actual costs as calculate pursuant to Schedule C-4(b)
3.12 Contamination & Replacement of Equipment	Contamination and replacement of damaged equipment-hazardous material or dangerous goods	Actual equipment replacement cost or actual decontamination costs including taxes
3.13 Fire Protection File Searches	File searches for outstanding code violations or infractions on occupancies.	Minimum \$50.00 per search
5.2.2 Wildland Urban Interface	Cost recovery for compliance with safety plan	Actual costs as invoiced
5.3.3 Accumulation of Combustibles	Cost recovery for work done	Actual costs as invoiced
5.11 Burning Without a Fire Permit	Burning any combustible materials without a fire permit	Minimum \$300.00 per occurrence. After 1 hour, Fire Crew and Fire Truck Cost \$400.00 per hour
6.1 Re-inspection of property	Recovery of inspection costs for ensuring Fire Code compliance	\$150.00 per occurrence.
7.2 Inspection Fee Cost Recovery	Fee charged after second re-inspection during year	\$150.00 per occurrence.

8.2	Failure to Provide Contact Person Information	Failure to comply with reference requirements	Fire Crew and Fire Truck Cost \$400.00 per hour (minimum 1 hour) per occurrence. Fire inspection \$150.00 per occurrence.
9.1.2 9.3	Fire Safety Plan and Review	Review of New Fire Safety Plans for acceptance	\$50.00 per occurrence.
10.2	Cost Recovery for Responses to False Alarms	Address the problem of alarm monitoring companies calling Fire Rescue Services to alarms that are not fire alarms	\$100.00 per occurrence
10.3	Cost Recovery for Failure to Notify	Address the problem of persons not notifying the Fire Rescue Service of fire alarm testing	\$100.00 per occurrence
11.3	Failure to Provide Clearance	Failure to remove an obstruction or provide 1 metre clearance around a fire hydrant within a specified time	Actual cost of removal by municipal crews or private contractors and invoiced to the registered owner
12.4	Fireworks Sales Inspection Fee	Inspection fee for the sale of fireworks	\$100.00 per occurrence
12.9	Fireworks Permit for Special Occasion/Festivals	Processing Fee for permit	\$20.00 per occurrence
12.14	High Hazard Fireworks Permit Fee	Inspection fee for high hazard fireworks	\$100.00 per occurrence
12.16	Permit for Pyrotechnic Display/Show	Inspection and processing	\$250.00 per occurrence
12.18	Fire Protection at Movie/TV Pyrotechnics	Fee charged for providing Fire Protection at Movie or TV Productions - as required	Current vehicle and personnel costs calculated pursuant to Schedule C-4(b)

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%