

<b>BYLAW NO. 558</b>	
<b>Bylaw name:</b>	Solid Waste Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 170, 2011, Amendment No. 11
<b>Participants:</b>	All (Comox Strathcona waste management service)
<b>Purpose:</b>	A bylaw to amend the Comox Strathcona waste management (CSWM) fees and charges bylaw to incorporate increases to the tipping fee schedule and to provide waste category definition updates
<b>Amends bylaw:</b>	170
<b>Repeals bylaw:</b>	N/A
<b>Staff contact:</b>	Marc Rutten, General Manager of Engineering Services

<b>STATUS</b>	
<b>Board approval:</b>	September 6, 2018
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<b>Final adoption:</b>	

## **COMOX VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT**

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**A bylaw to amend the Comox Strathcona waste management (CSWM) fees and charges bylaw to incorporate increases to the tipping fee schedule and to provide waste category definition updates.**

**WHEREAS** the Comox Valley Regional District adopted Bylaw No. 170 being the “Solid Waste Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 170, 2011” on November 3, 2011;

**AND WHEREAS** the board desires to update the bylaw to incorporate increases to the tipping fee schedule and to provide waste category definition updates;

**NOW THEREFORE** the board of the Comox Valley Regional District in open meeting assembled enacts as follows:

#### **Amendment**

1. Bylaw No. 170 being “Solid Waste Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 170, 2011” is hereby amended by:
  - (a) Inserting a new definition in section 1 for “Organic compost material” as follows:

“**Organic compost material**” means material derives from the co-mingled yard and food waste pilot program, that has passed the testing requirements for Class A compost;”
  - (b) Replacing the definition in section 1 for “Yard Waste”, which reads:

“**Yard Waste**” means uncontaminated, non-invasive vegetation removed from gardens, lawns, shrubs and trees and includes material that is a maximum diameter of 30 cm;”

with the following new definition for “Yard Waste”:

“**Yard Waste**” means, uncontaminated, non-invasive vegetation removed from trees, shrubs, and gardens, that requires chipping and includes already chipped, clean wood waste and material that is a maximum diameter of 30 cm;”
  - (c) Deleting the following words in section 2 (Conditions of Use) subsection (3) “hours notice” and replacing with the following words “hours’ notice”;
  - (d) Inserting the following text in section 3 (Charges) subsection (1) immediately following the words “depositing solid waste”:

“or purchasing material/goods for sale”;
  - (e) Renumbering the definitions in section 1 accordingly.
  - (f) Replacing schedules ‘A-8’ and ‘B’ with the schedules ‘A’ and ‘B’ as attached to this bylaw.

#### **Effective Date**

2. This bylaw is effective on January 1, 2019.

**Citation**

This Bylaw No. 558 may be cited as "Solid Waste Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 170, 2011, Amendment No. 11".

**Read a first and second time this                      6<sup>th</sup>                      day of                      September                      2018.**

**Read a third time this                                      6<sup>th</sup>                                      day of                                      September                                      2018.**

**Adopted this    day of    2018.**

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Chair

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Corporate Legislative Officer

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 558 being "Solid Waste Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 170, 2011, Amendment No. 11" as adopted by the board of the Comox Valley Regional District on the    day of                      , 2018.

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Corporate Legislative Officer

**Schedule 'A' – Effective January 1, 2019****Scale of Charges for Waste Disposal at the Comox Valley and Campbell River Waste Management Centres**

All solid waste originating within the boundaries of the Comox Valley and Strathcona Regional Districts will be accepted at the Comox Valley and Campbell River waste management centres at the rates shown below. All prices are per metric tonne or in cubic metres and will be pro-rated for a portion thereof and subject to a minimum charge.

All items below are as measured by weight on the scale provided at the waste management centre by the regional district and where applicable, include the site access fee. Vehicles with loads that contain multiple categories of waste will only be charged the \$4 site access fee once.

The charges for depositing solid waste, controlled wastes and recyclable materials at the disposal facility as of January 1, 2019 are:

<b>Item</b>	<b>Minimum Charge</b>	<b>In-Area Charge / tonne</b>	<b>Out-of-Area Charge / tonne</b>
Site access fee / Scale use charge	\$4		
Municipal solid waste (MSW)	\$6 0-100 kg	\$130 / tonne	\$260 / tonne
Asbestos Containing Materials * Only accepted at the CRWMC	\$20 0-100 kg	\$250/tonne	\$500/tonne
Co-mingled food and yard waste	No Applicable	\$45 / tonne	Not accepted
Commercial recycling	\$6 0-100 kg	\$60 / tonne	Not accepted
Construction and demolition debris	\$6 0-100 kg	\$130 / tonne	\$260 / tonne
Controlled waste – advance approval and supporting analytical data required	\$15 0-100 kg	\$180 / tonne	\$350 / tonne
Clean fill – advance approval and supporting analytical data required for loads in excess of 1000 kilograms	\$6 0-400 kg	\$15 / tonne	\$45 / tonne
Divertible wood waste	\$6 0-100 kg	\$120 / tonne	\$225 / tonne
Divertible gypsum – advance approval and supporting analytical data required for pre-1990 gypsum	\$20 0-100 kg	\$225/tonne	\$350/tonne
Grass and leaves – no site access fee	No charge	No charge	No charge
Improperly covered or secured load	-	\$20 each	\$40 each
MSW containing recyclables	\$30	\$300 / tonne	\$600 / tonne

Mattresses	\$6 / unit	\$6 / unit	Not accepted
Metal – no site access fee	No charge	No charge	No charge
Refrigerant containing materials – no site access fee	\$15 / unit	\$15 / unit	\$45 /unit
Yard waste / Invasive Species	\$6 0-100 kg	\$65 / tonne	\$195 / tonne
Material for Sale – Organic compost material (when available)	\$13	\$13 cubic meter (\$10 / yard)	Not applicable

### Special Notes

- 1) Loads containing prohibited waste will be charged at the rates above plus all costs associated with any special handling or removal of the prohibited waste.
- 2) Recycling facilities are provided for selected commodities, which may be accepted free of charge when placed in the containers provided. Loads of MSW containing recyclables or loads containing a higher volume of mixed materials, will be charged the higher rate, at the discretion of the attendant.

**Schedule 'B'****"Prohibited Waste"**

The following gaseous liquids and municipal solid wastes are accepted for disposal at waste management centres but are prohibited from being placed in the landfill:

- Asbestos containing materials that does not accompany an approved Waste Disposal application;
- Biomedical waste;
- Corrugated cardboard;
- Clean fill;
- Divertible gypsum;
- Divertible wood waste;
- Drums;
- Garden/yard waste;
- Commercial and household hazardous waste;
- Household Recyclables;
- Ignitable wastes;
- Liquids;
- Mattresses
- Metal;
- Motor vehicle bodies and farm implements;
- Municipal solid waste that is on fire or smoldering;
- Radioactive waste;
- Reactive wastes;
- Special waste, as defined in the Hazardous Waste Regulation of the *Environmental Management Act*;
- Product Stewardship items:
  - Beverage Containers
  - Electronics
  - Lead-Acid Batteries
  - Packaging and Printed Paper
  - Paints Solvents, Pesticides & Gasoline (Household hazardous waste)
  - Pharmaceuticals
  - Tires
  - Used Oil & Antifreeze