

GVS&DD TIPPING FEE AND SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL REGULATION BYLAW NO. 379, 2024

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- **GVS&DD Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 379, 2024**
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- **GVS&DD Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Amendment Bylaw No. 381, 2024**
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As of July 26, 2024

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AT THE BOARD AND INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT
AT THE METRO VANCOUVER HEAD OFFICE**

GREATER VANCOUVER SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE DISTRICT
BYLAW NO. 379, 2024
A Bylaw to Establish the Tipping Fee and
Solid Waste Disposal Regulation

WHEREAS:

- A. Pursuant to the *Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act* S.B.C. 1956 c. 59 (the “**Act**”) the objects of the GVS&DD include the disposal of all types of waste and the operation and administration of facilities for the disposal of all types of waste;
- B. Section 7A(5)(b) of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to establish the uses to which its waste disposal facilities may be put and by whom they may be used;
- C. Section 7A(5)(g) of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to establish scales of charges for services rendered by the GVS&DD and for the use of any of the GVS&DD's waste disposal facilities;
- D. In relation to the disposal of solid waste generated within its area, section 7B of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to set levies payable by generators of waste or by other persons who use the services of a Waste Hauler based on the quantity, volume, type or composition of waste generated; and
- E. The GVS&DD intends for the fees and levies imposed by this Bylaw to raise sufficient revenue from everyone who benefits from solid waste management in the region, to offset the costs incurred by the GVS&DD to provide solid waste management in the region, including the fixed costs of the region’s recycling and waste centre network and waste reduction and recycling planning activities.

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District enacts as follows:

1.0 Citation

- 1.1 The official citation of this Bylaw is “Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 379, 2024”.
- 1.2 This Bylaw may be cited as the “Tipping Fee Bylaw”.

2.0 Effective Date

- 2.1 This Bylaw will come into effect on July 1, 2024.

3.0 Repeal of Bylaw

3.1 “Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 306, 2017” as amended is repealed.

4.0 Schedules

4.1 The following Schedules are attached to and form part of the Bylaw:

- Schedule “A”, Solid Waste Facilities;
- Schedule “B”, Fees and Surcharges;
- Schedule “C”, Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials;
- Schedule “D”, Banned Recyclable Materials;
- Schedule “E”, Product Stewardship Materials; and
- Schedule “F”, Customer Charge Accounts.

5.0 Definitions

5.1 In this Bylaw:

“Act” has the meaning set out in the Recitals;

“Agricultural Waste” includes:

- (i) materials that are produced for the purposes of an agricultural operation but are incidental or secondary to the primary product of the agricultural operation;
- (ii) manure;
- (iii) soiled animal bedding;
- (iv) dropped or spoiled feed or silage;
- (v) agricultural vegetative debris;
- (vi) the product of an agricultural composting process;
- (vii) used mushroom-growing substrate; and
- (viii) used soilless media;

but excludes:

- (i) mortalities;

- (ii) wastes from hatcheries or dairy processing;
- (iii) digestates from anaerobic digestion;
- (iv) materials produced or used in accordance with the *Organic Matter Recycling Regulation*, B.C. Reg. 76/2022;
- (v) soil amendments within the meaning of, and used in accordance with, the *Code of Practice for Soil Amendments*, B.C. Reg. 40/2021; or
- (vi) fish feces;

“Banned Recyclable Materials” means the specific materials, substances and objects listed in Schedule "D";

“Board” means the board of directors of the GVSⅅ

“Clean Wood” means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises solid wood, lumber or pallets:

- (i) that does not contain any glues or resins;
- (ii) that is unpainted, unstained and untreated; and
- (iii) that may or may not be pierced with nails or other metal fasteners;

“Collection Location” means a civic address from which a Waste Hauler picks up or transports Solid Waste;

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“Commercial Organics” means unpackaged Food Waste, Green Waste, Clean Wood, Recyclable Paper that has been soiled by or comingled with food residue, tissue paper, paper napkins or towels, or any combination thereof, other than Municipal Organics, that is picked up from or transported for residential, commercial or institutional sources and that does not contain:

- (i) more than 0.5% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste; or
- (ii) plastic bags or bin liners, whether or not labelled ‘biodegradable’ or ‘compostable’;

“Compliance Manager” means the person employed by MVRD as the Director of Environmental Regulation and Enforcement and includes any person designated to act in their place from time to time;

“Compliance Officer” means a person employed by MVRD as an Environmental Control

Officer, a Permitting and Enforcement Officer, an Assistant Permitting and Enforcement Officer, or their equivalent;

“Construction and Demolition Processing Residual Waste” means Solid Waste that remains after Construction and Demolition Waste has been processed by a Private Construction and Demolition Waste Processing Facility to recover Recyclable Material such as wood, metals, glass and plastics;

“Construction and Demolition Waste” means Solid Waste that originates from demolition or construction sources that has not been handled, managed or mixed with Solid Waste from other sources;

“Contaminated Recyclable Paper” means Recyclable Paper that has been contaminated with grease, oil, food residue or other material;

“Corrugated Cardboard” means Recyclable Paper that consists of a fluted corrugated sheet and one or two flat linerboards;

“Delta Garbage” means all Solid Waste originating from within the geographic area of the City of Delta and disposed of at a Vancouver Disposal Site, but excluding Delta Residential Drop-off Garbage;

“Delta Residential Drop-off Garbage” means Solid Waste disposed of at a Vancouver Disposal Site by residential customers who reside in Delta;

“Disposal Rate” means the difference between the Tipping Fee and the Generator Levy, and covers the GVS&DD’s costs of transportation and disposal of waste;

“Environmental Management Act” means the *Environmental Management Act*, S.B.C. 2003 c. 53;

“Expanded Polystyrene Packaging” means white expanded polystyrene used for protecting and distributing products, but excluding:

- (i) food and beverage containers;
- (ii) packing ‘peanuts’; and
- (iii) expanded polystyrene that has been painted, soiled or treated;

“Food Waste” means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises food, including meat, fish, fat, dairy products, bread, baking products, fruits and vegetables, whether cooked or uncooked and packaged or unpackaged;

“Generator” means a person who generates Solid Waste, and includes a person who uses

the services of a Waste Hauler for the pick up, transport or delivery of Solid Waste;

“Generator Levy” means the levy payable by a Generator pursuant to this Bylaw at the rate set out at section 7.1;

“Green Waste” means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises vegetative matter resulting from gardening, landscaping or land clearing that is capable of being composted and includes grass, shrub and tree branches, grass sod, flowers, weeds, leaves, vegetable stalks, brush and tree stumps with a maximum diameter of 30 centimetres and maximum length of 120 centimetres, but excluding Snow Flocked or Frosted Trees, Toxic Plants, Clean Wood, Food Waste and Agricultural Waste;

“GVS&DD” means a body corporate and politic under the name of the “Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District” with the objects, powers and mode of management set forth in the Act, and its geographic area includes the respective geographic areas of the following jurisdictions: Village of Anmore, City of Burnaby, City of Coquitlam, City of Delta, Electoral Area A, City of Langley, Township of Langley, City of Maple Ridge, City of New Westminster, City of North Vancouver, District of North Vancouver, City of Pitt Meadows, City of Port Coquitlam, City of Port Moody, City of Richmond, City of Surrey, City of Vancouver, District of West Vancouver, and City of White Rock;

“Gypsum” means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises board made of several plies of fiberboard, paper or felt bonded to a hardened gypsum plaster core that is also known as drywall and includes gypsum board that has been painted or covered in wallpaper;

“Gypsum – New” means Gypsum date stamped 1990 or newer that has not been previously installed and does not contain tape, paint or drywall mud;

“Gypsum – Used” means Gypsum without a date stamp, Gypsum that is date stamped before 1990, or Gypsum that contains tape, paint or drywall mud;

“Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials” means the specific materials, substances and objects listed in Schedule "C";

“International Waste” means Solid Waste that originates from outside of Canada, but excluding Solid Waste from cruise ships from the United States;

“Load” means a quantity of Solid Waste that is or was contained within a single vehicle;

“Manager” means the person appointed to the position of General Manager, Solid Waste Services from time to time and includes any person appointed or designated to act in their place;

“Mattresses” means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises a case of canvas or other heavy cloth stuffed with wool, cotton, other fibers or similar material, with or without coiled

springs, that was used as a bed or as support for a bed;

“Mixed Solid Waste” means Solid Waste that originates from residential, commercial or institutional sources, or any combination of Solid Waste from these sources and other sources, but excluding Source-Separated Recyclable Material or Construction and Demolition Waste;

“Municipal Garbage” means:

- (i) Loads that contain any Solid Waste picked up from or transported for single family residences, whether or not mixed with other types of Solid Waste, and picked up or transported by local government, their contractors or by entities contracting directly with individual households where such pick up or transport occurs on a regular basis (typically: weekly, every two weeks or monthly); or
- (ii) Loads of Solid Waste picked up or transported exclusively from local government owned premises, such as parks, streets or public buildings, and picked up or transported by local government or their contractors;

“Municipal Organics” means:

- (i) Source-Separated Organic Waste picked up from or transported for single family residences by local government or their contractors where such pick up or transport occurs on a regular basis (typically: weekly, every two weeks or monthly); or
- (ii) Source-Separated Organic Waste picked up or transported exclusively from local government owned premises, such as parks, streets or public buildings, and picked up or transported by local government or their contractors;

“Municipal Solid Waste” means Solid Waste that originates from residential, commercial, institutional, demolition, land clearing or construction sources or Solid Waste included in the Solid Waste Management Plan;

“MVRD” means a regional district pursuant to the *Local Government Act*, R.S.B.C. 2015 c. 1, under the name of the “Metro Vancouver Regional District” and its geographic area includes the respective geographic areas of the following jurisdictions: Village of Anmore, Village of Belcarra, Bowen Island Municipality, City of Burnaby, City of Coquitlam, City of Delta, Electoral Area A, City of Langley, Township of Langley, Village of Lions Bay, City of Maple Ridge, City of New Westminister, City of North Vancouver, District of North Vancouver, City of Pitt Meadows, City of Port Coquitlam, City of Port Moody, City of Richmond, City of Surrey, scəwáθən məsteyəx^w (Tsawwassen First Nation), City of Vancouver, District of West Vancouver, and City of White Rock;

“Noxious Weeds” means the weeds designated as noxious weeds in Part I and Part II of Schedule A of the *Weed Control Regulation*, B.C. Reg. 143/2011 but excluding Giant Hogweed (*Heracleum Mantegazzianum*) and Spurge Laurel (*Daphne Laureola*);

“Out of Region Waste” means Solid Waste that originates from outside the geographic area of the MVRD but is not International Waste;

“Peak Hours” means from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm on Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays;

“Personal Hygiene Products” means personal care products such as diapers, feminine hygiene products and incontinence products;

“Private Construction and Demolition Waste Processing Facility” means a facility that holds a valid and subsisting licence to receive Construction and Demolition Waste pursuant to *Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Municipal Solid Waste and Recyclable Material Regulatory Bylaw No. 181, 1996*, as amended or replaced from time to time;

“Product Steward” means a legal entity, such as an organization, company or non-profit society, that develops and implements extended producer responsibility plans for managing the recovery of Product Stewardship Materials and fulfilling the obligations under the *Recycling Regulation*;

“Product Stewardship Materials” means the specific materials, substances and objects listed in Schedule "E";

“Qualified Private Facility” means a facility that:

- (i) manages Mixed Solid Waste;
- (ii) reduces the total weight of incoming Mixed Solid Waste by at least 25%, calculated monthly, as a result of resource recovery or the production of fuel at the facility, provided always that any material delivered to a landfill, including material used for roads or for alternative daily cover, is included in the calculation as waste disposed from the facility; and
- (iii) operates in full compliance with all applicable laws, including holding a valid and subsisting licence to manage Mixed Solid Waste pursuant to *Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Municipal Solid Waste and Recyclable Material Regulatory Bylaw No. 181, 1996*, as amended or replaced from time to time;

“Quarter” or **“Quarterly”** means, within any calendar year, the three month period from January 1 to March 31, April 1 to June 30, July 1 to September 30, or October 1 to December 31;

“Receiving Facility” means a Solid Waste Facility, Vancouver Disposal Site or other facility or location to which a Waste Hauler delivers Solid Waste;

“Recyclable Material” means Municipal Solid Waste that has been diverted from disposal, and satisfies at least one of the following criteria:

- (i) is organic material from residential, commercial or institutional sources and is capable of being or is being composted or anaerobically digested at a site;
- (ii) is managed as a marketable commodity with an established market by the owner or operator of a site;
- (iii) is being used in the manufacture of a new product that has an established market or is being processed as an intermediate stage of an existing manufacturing process;
- (iv) has been identified as a recyclable material in the Solid Waste Management Plan; or
- (v) is any other material prescribed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, or the Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;

“Recyclable Paper” means Municipal Solid Waste manufactured from thin sheets from wood pulp or other fibrous substances that may be converted into reusable materials and includes newspapers and inserts, magazines, telephone directories, catalogues, office papers, envelopes, boxboard, paper bags and mail, but excluding photographic paper, carbon paper, tissue paper, paper napkins or towels, and paper that is adhered to or coated with plastic or metal;

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“Recycling Area” means those parts of a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site designated for Green Waste, Municipal Organics, Commercial Organics, Source-Separated Organic Waste, Clean Wood, Gypsum, Mattresses and the specific materials, substances and objects that comprise Recyclable Material;

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“Recycling Fee” means the recycling fee charged by the GVS&DD for Green Waste, Municipal Organics, Commercial Organics, Source-Separated Organic Waste, Clean Wood, Gypsum, Mattresses and the specific materials, substances and objects that comprise Recyclable Material dropped off in the designated Recycling Area at a Solid Waste Facility, as set out in Table 3 of Schedule “B”;

“Recycling Regulation” means the *Recycling Regulation*, B.C. Reg. 449/2004 adopted pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;

“Regional Services Rate” means the fee charged by the GVS&DD for solid waste management related services that the GVS&DD provides for the benefit of the entire geographic area of the GVS&DD including, but not limited to, system analysis and planning, regulation and enforcement, demolition, land clearing and construction waste management, recycling and sustainability initiatives and administration;

“Snow Flocked or Frosted Tree” means a natural tree that has received an application of a substance that looks like artificial snow;

“Solid Waste” means noxious, offensive, unwholesome, or discarded solid material;

“Solid Waste Facility” means any of the facilities listed in Schedule "A";

“Solid Waste Management Plan” means the GVS&DD’s approved Solid Waste Management Plan pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*, as amended or replaced from time to time;

“Source-Separated Organic Waste” means unpackaged Food Waste, Green Waste, Clean Wood, Recyclable Paper that has been soiled by or comingled with food residue, or carbon paper, tissue paper, paper napkins or towels, or any combination thereof and does not contain more than 0.05% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste;

“Source-Separated Recyclable Material” means Recyclable Material that has been separated from other Municipal Solid Waste by a Generator at the point of generation or pick up and which is accepted at a facility for the purposes of recycling;

“Special Handle Waste” means Out of Region Waste, International Waste or Solid Waste that requires immediate destruction or is designated for product destruction by a regulatory agency;

“Surcharge” means the amount charged by the GVS&DD, in addition to the applicable Tipping Fee, for disposing of the type of Solid Waste, as set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”;

“Tipping Fee” means the fee charged by the GVS&DD for disposing of Solid Waste at a Solid Waste Facility, as set out in Table 1 of Schedule “B”, and which includes the Disposal Rate and the Generator Levy;

“Toxic Plants” means Devil’s Club (*Oplopanax Horridus*), Giant Hogweed (*Heracleum Mantegazzianum*) or Spurge Laurel (*Daphne Laureola*);

“Transaction Fee” means the fee charged by the GVS&DD, in addition to the Tipping Fee, for each Load of Solid Waste disposed of at a Solid Waste Facility, and each Load of Gypsum dropped off at a designated Recycling Area, as set out in Table 2 of Schedule “B”;

“Unsecured Load” means a Load that is not tied and covered or otherwise secured to prevent

any of the Load escaping from the vehicle;

“Vancouver Disposal Site” means either of the following facilities that are owned or operated by the City of Vancouver:

- (i) Vancouver Landfill located at 5400 72nd Street, Delta; or
- (ii) Vancouver South Transfer Station located at 377 West Kent Avenue North, Vancouver;

“Vancouver Garbage” means all Solid Waste that originates from within the geographic area of the City of Vancouver and disposed of at a Vancouver Disposal Site;

“Waste Hauler” means:

- (i) a municipality, including the City of Vancouver, that picks up, transports or delivers Solid Waste; or
- (ii) a person who, on a commercial basis, picks up, transports or delivers Solid Waste; and

“Weight Only Ticket” means a document provided at the scale house that records only the weight of the particular Load brought to a Solid Waste Facility.

6.0 Restrictions and Prohibitions

6.1 No person shall dispose of anything at a Solid Waste Facility except in accordance with this Bylaw.

6.2 No person shall dispose of Solid Waste at a Solid Waste Facility unless it originates from within the geographic area of the MVRD.

6.3 Despite section 6.2, acceptance at a Solid Waste Facility of Out of Region Waste and International Waste may be approved:

- (a) by the Manager for quantities up to 1,500 metric tonnes per Generator at the point of generation per 12-month period; or
- (b) by the Board for quantities greater than 1,500 metric tonnes per Generator at the point of generation per 12-month period.

6.4 No person shall dispose of any Loads that emit odours, fumes or particulate matter (such as dust) that cause or are capable of causing material discomfort to a person at a Solid Waste Facility, except that where expressly authorized by the Manager such Loads may be disposed of at the Waste-to-Energy Facility.

- 6.5 No person shall dispose of any Loads dominated by oily materials, substances or objects at a Solid Waste Facility, except that where expressly authorized by the Manager such Loads may be disposed of at the Waste-to-Energy Facility.
- 6.6 No person shall dispose of any Loads of Toxic Plants at a Solid Waste Facility, except that where expressly authorized by the Manager such Loads may be disposed of at the Waste-to-Energy Facility, double bagged and in dedicated Loads.
- 6.7 Despite anything else in this Bylaw, Noxious Weeds can be disposed of as Solid Waste or as Green Waste.
- 6.8 No person shall dispose of Gypsum at a Solid Waste Facility, except Gypsum that weighs less than one half metric tonne may be dropped off at a designated Recycling Area.
- 6.9 No person shall dispose of Mattresses at a Solid Waste Facility, except that four or fewer Mattresses per Load may be dropped off at a designated Recycling Area.
- 6.10 No person shall dispose of refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, and water coolers at a Solid Waste Facility, except that four or fewer of these types of appliances per Load may be dropped off at a designated Recycling Area.
- 6.11 No person shall scavenge or salvage any Solid Waste from a Solid Waste Facility.
- 6.12 The Manager may prohibit a person who contravenes this Bylaw from disposing of Solid Waste at any Solid Waste Facility or dropping Recyclable Material in a designated Recycling Area for such period as the Manager may determine.

7.0 Levies, Rates and Charges

- 7.1 Every Generator of Municipal Solid Waste within the geographic area of the GVS&DD must pay the Generator Levy, in accordance with sections 7.2 and 7.3, as follows:
 - (a) the total amount of the Generator Levy payable by a Generator shall be calculated by multiplying the number of metric tonnes of Municipal Solid Waste generated by that Generator or picked up, transported or delivered by a Waste Hauler for that Generator, rounded up to the nearest tenth of a whole number, by the per metric tonne rate established under this Bylaw; and
 - (b) the rate established is \$64 per metric tonne of Municipal Solid Waste.

- 7.2 The quantity, in metric tonnes, of Municipal Solid Waste generated by a Generator, or picked up, transported or delivered by a Waste Hauler for a Generator, shall be the actual quantity of Municipal Solid Waste generated by that Generator or picked up, transported or delivered by a Waste Hauler for that Generator, if that amount can be verified at a Solid Waste Facility, or a reasonable estimate of the quantity determined by the GVS&DD in accordance with section 9.21.
- 7.3 Every Generator of Municipal Solid Waste within the geographic area of the GVS&DD must pay the Generator Levy as follows:
- (a) to the GVS&DD at a Solid Waste Facility in accordance with section 7.4;
 - (b) to the City of Vancouver at a Vancouver Disposal Site as part of the applicable tipping fee at that site; or
 - (c) to a Waste Hauler that picks up, transports or delivers their Municipal Solid Waste.
- 7.4 Unless otherwise permitted pursuant to a written agreement between a municipality and the GVS&DD, every person who disposes of Solid Waste at a Solid Waste Facility or drops off Recyclable Material in a designated Recycling Area must pay to the GVS&DD:
- (a) the applicable Tipping Fees, which includes the Generator Levy, set out in Table 1 of Schedule “B”;
 - (b) the Transaction Fee set out in Table 2 of Schedule “B”;
 - (c) the applicable Recycling Fees set out in Table 3 of Schedule “B”; and
 - (d) the applicable Surcharges set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”,
- and all such fees and Surcharges must be paid before the person leaves the Solid Waste Facility.
- 7.5 Every person who disposes of Construction and Demolition Processing Residual Waste at a Solid Waste Facility must pay the applicable Tipping Fee set out in Table 1 of Schedule “B” and the Transaction Fee set out in Table 2 of Schedule “B”.
- 7.6 Every person who disposes of Special Handle Waste at the Waste-to-Energy Facility must pay the applicable Tipping Fee set out in Table 1 of Schedule “B” and the Transaction Fee set out in Table 2 of Schedule “B”.

- 7.7 Unless otherwise permitted pursuant to a written agreement between a municipality and the GVS&DD, every person who drops off a Load of Municipal Organics, Source-Separated Organic Waste, Green Waste, Clean Wood, Gypsum or Mattresses at a designated Recycling Area must pay the applicable Recycling Fee set out in Table 3 of Schedule “B”.
- 7.8 If a person attends a Solid Waste Facility with a Load that contains any combination of Source-Separated Organic Waste, Green Waste, Food Waste, Clean Wood, Gypsum, Mattresses, Recyclable Material and/or other Solid Waste and the person chooses not to weigh-out after dropping off each part of the Load at the designated Recycling Areas, then the person must pay to the GVS&DD the Tipping Fee or Recycling Fee for the entire Load that is based on the highest fee payable for any part of the Load, in the amounts set out in Schedule “B”, together with any applicable Surcharges.
- 7.9 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Solid Waste Facility that contains a quantity of Banned Recyclable Materials other than Food Waste or Expanded Polystyrene Packaging that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.
- 7.10 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Solid Waste Facility that contains Contaminated Recyclable Paper that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.
- 7.11 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Solid Waste Facility that contains Expanded Polystyrene Packaging that exceeds either 20% of the total weight of the Load or 20% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.
- 7.12 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Solid Waste Facility that contains Food Waste that exceeds either 25% of the total weight of the Load or 25% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.

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- 7.13 Every person who drops off a Load of Municipal Organics or Source-Separated Organic Waste (other than Commercial Organics) at a designated Recycling Area that contains more than 0.05% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.

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- 7.14 Every person who drops off a Load of Commercial Organics at a designated Recycling Area that contains more than 0.5% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.15 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Solid Waste Facility that contains any Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials or Product Stewardship Materials must pay a Surcharge in

the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”, plus the costs of remediation and clean-up.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.16 Every person who enters a Solid Waste Facility with an Unsecured Load must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Table 4 of Schedule “B”.

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- 7.17 Special Handle Waste is exempt from all Surcharges, but if a Load of Special Handle Waste contains any Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials, it will be subject to the costs of remediation and clean-up.

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- 7.18 Where a single Load is subject to multiple Surcharges, the Surcharge with the highest value will apply for the weight of the entire Load.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.19 Despite anything else in this Bylaw, in advance of any person transporting a single Load or multiple Loads to a Solid Waste Facility, the Manager may, at their discretion, waive any Surcharge or Surcharges or a portion thereof for a specified period and for specified classes of persons.

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- 7.20 Despite anything else in this Bylaw, in the event of a service disruption at either a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site, in advance of any person transporting a single Load or multiple Loads to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site, the Manager may, at their discretion, waive the Generator Levy for a specified period and for specified classes of persons.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.21 Despite anything else in this Bylaw, the Manager may, at their discretion, waive all fees and Surcharges for a Load delivered to a Solid Waste Facility by a non-profit or volunteer group resulting from a community clean-up project, provided that:

- (a) the community clean-up project is conducted within the geographic area of the MVRD;
- (b) the community clean-up project involves collecting Noxious Weeds or Solid Waste from the natural environment from any of the following publicly owned areas:
 - (i) green space, such as natural areas, recreational parks or playgrounds;
 - (ii) roads;
 - (iii) marine shorelines and harbours; or

- (iv) lakes, ponds, rivers, creeks, streams or other natural waterways.
- (c) the Load does not contain Banned Recyclable Materials, Product Stewardship Materials, or Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials;
- (d) the Manager receives an advance written request from the non-profit or volunteer group prior to the date the community clean-up project is to be held;
- (e) the Manager confirms in writing to the non-profit or volunteer group that fees and Surcharges otherwise payable under this Bylaw will be waived; and
- (f) the non-profit or volunteer group brings the Manager's written confirmation to the Solid Waste Facility at the time of disposal.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

7.22 The weigh scales at Solid Waste Facilities weigh to the nearest 0.005 metric tonnes. For any person who does not have a customer charge account, as described in Schedule "F", the total amount payable to the GVS&DD is rounded to the nearest dollar.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

7.23 Every person who enters a Solid Waste Facility to obtain a Weight Only Ticket must pay a fee of \$15 per ticket.

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7.24 Every person who disposes of a Load at the Waste-to-Energy Facility that is made up of at least 85% by weight of metals will receive a credit of \$25 per metric tonne on exiting the scale house at the Waste-to-Energy Facility.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

7.25 Despite section 7.4, any person may apply to the GVS&DD for a customer charge account in accordance with Schedule "F".

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

7.26 In the event the weigh scale system at a Solid Waste Facility is not functioning for any reason, the Manager may, at their discretion:

- (a) close the Solid Waste Facility until the weigh scale system is functioning; or
- (b) permit a person to dispose of a single Load at the Solid Waste Facility subject to the following:
 - (i) the Load must not measure more than 0.5 cubic metres in volume; and
 - (ii) the minimum Tipping Fee set out in Table 1 of Schedule "B", plus the Transaction Fee, will be charged for the Load.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.27 In the event that a person enters a Solid Waste Facility with a rental vehicle, out-of-province or dealer licence plate, or previously left without payment, then a \$50 deposit is required on entry to the Solid Waste Facility.

Renumbered by Bylaw 381, 2024

- 7.28 All unpaid fees, charges or levies imposed by this Bylaw are a debt due to the GVS&DD and the GVS&DD may take such action as it considers necessary and as permitted by law to collect the debt.

8.0 Regional Services Rate

- 8.1 The Regional Services Rate is set at an amount equal to 6% of the Tipping Fee for Municipal Garbage, as specified in Table 1 of Schedule “B”. The Regional Services Rate is included in all Tipping Fees.

- 8.2 Every Quarter, the City of Vancouver must record:

- (a) the total tonnage of Solid Waste;
- (b) the tonnage of Vancouver Garbage and Delta Garbage; and
- (c) the tonnage of Delta Residential Drop-off Garbage,

that is disposed of at the Vancouver Disposal Sites during that Quarter and provide such information to the GVS&DD and the City of Delta within 30 days of the end of the Quarter.

- 8.3 Every Quarter the GVS&DD will invoice the City of Vancouver for an amount equal to the Regional Services Rate for every metric tonne of Vancouver Garbage and Delta Residential Drop-off Garbage disposed of at the Vancouver Disposal Sites during the previous Quarter, and the City of Vancouver must remit payment to the GVS&DD within 30 days of the date of such invoice.

- 8.4 Every Quarter the GVS&DD will invoice the City of Delta for an amount equal to the Regional Services Rate for every metric tonne of Delta Garbage disposed of at the Vancouver Disposal Sites during the previous Quarter, and the City of Delta must remit payment to the GVS&DD within 30 days of the date of such invoice.

9.0 Waste Haulers

- 9.1 Every Waste Hauler must collect the Generator Levy from each Generator within the geographic area of the GVS&DD at the rate set out at section 7.1 with respect to all

Municipal Solid Waste that the Waste Hauler picks up from, transports for or delivers for the Generator, other than:

- (a) the City of Vancouver, or its contractors, in respect of Municipal Garbage that is picked up or transported from within the geographic area of the City of Vancouver and delivered to a Vancouver Disposal Site; or
- (b) the City of Delta, or its contractors, in respect of Municipal Garbage that is picked up or transported from within the geographic area of the City of Delta and delivered to a Vancouver Disposal Site.

9.2 A Waste Hauler who must collect the Generator Levy pursuant to section 9.1 must remit the full amount of the Generator Levy to the GVS&DD as follows:

- (a) where the Waste Hauler delivers the Municipal Solid Waste picked up from or transported for a Generator to a Solid Waste Facility, the Waste Hauler must remit the Generator Levy in accordance with section 7.4;
- (b) where the Waste Hauler delivers the Municipal Solid Waste picked up from or transported for a Generator to a Vancouver Disposal Site, the Waste Hauler must remit the Generator Levy as part of the applicable tipping fee at that Vancouver Disposal Site; or
- (c) where the Waste Hauler delivers the Municipal Solid Waste picked up from or transported for a Generator to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site, the Waste Hauler must remit the Generator Levy directly to the GVS&DD on a Quarterly basis in accordance with section 9.3.

9.3 Every Waste Hauler that picks up Municipal Solid Waste from Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD or that transports Municipal Solid Waste for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD and delivers that Municipal Solid Waste, or any portion thereof, to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site must remit the Generator Levy payable to the GVS&DD as follows:

- (a) for Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered between January 1 to March 31, the Generator Levy is due on or before April 15 of each calendar year;
- (b) for Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered between April 1 to June 30, the Generator Levy is due on or before July 15 of each calendar year;
- (c) for Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered between July 1 to September 30, the Generator Levy is due on or before October 15 of each calendar year; and

- (d) for Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered between October 1 to December 31, the Generator Levy is due on or before January 15 of the following calendar year.

9.4 Every Waste Hauler that picks up Municipal Solid Waste from Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD or that transports Municipal Solid Waste for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD must create and retain the following records:

- (a) the units of measure and quantity (by metric tonnes, cubic metres or cubic yards) of every Load of Municipal Solid Waste:
 - (i) picked up from Generators within the geographic area of the GVSⅅ
 - (ii) transported for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD and delivered to a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site;
 - (iii) transported for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD and delivered to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site; and
 - (iv) picked up from Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD and combined with Out of Region Waste, that includes an estimate of the percentage of the Load that is comprised of Out of Region Waste.
- (b) the Collection Location(s) for every Load of Municipal Solid Waste picked up from or transported for Generators within the geographic area of the GVSⅅ
- (c) the number of containers for each type of Municipal Solid Waste and each container's volume (by cubic metres or cubic yards) from which the Waste Hauler picked up or transported Municipal Solid Waste at each Collection Location within the geographic area of the GVSⅅ
- (d) the dates (day, month and year) on which the Waste Hauler picked up or transported Municipal Solid Waste from each Collection Location within the geographic area of the GVSⅅ
- (e) the identification and capacity information for every vehicle that picked up or transported a Load of Municipal Solid Waste for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD, including:
 - (i) the vehicle identification number corresponding to the unique number displayed on the vehicle to facilitate matching receipts or weigh scale tickets for each Load delivered to a Receiving Facility; and

- (ii) the maximum capacity of the vehicle (by metric tonnes, cubic metres or cubic yards).
- (f) the disposal information for every Load of Municipal Solid Waste picked up from or transported for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD, including:
 - (i) the name, address and telephone number for the Receiving Facility that received delivery of the Load;
 - (ii) the date and time that the Load was delivered to the Receiving Facility; and
 - (iii) the weigh scale tickets or receipts from the Receiving Facility for the Load.
- 9.5 A Compliance Officer may, for the purpose of verifying the records described in section 9.4, request any other record in the custody or under the control of a Waste Hauler.
- 9.6 The Compliance Manager may, for the purpose of verifying the records described in section 9.4, require a Waste Hauler to create and retain additional records.
- 9.7 The records required under section 9.4 and section 9.6 must be created in an electronic or other format acceptable to the Compliance Manager and must be retained for at least five (5) years.
- 9.8 If the records described in sections 9.4, 9.5, or 9.6 do not use the definitions set out in this Bylaw to describe the materials picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler, the Waste Hauler must create and retain a glossary of terms used in the records to the extent necessary to compare the materials picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler with the definitions of this Bylaw.
- 9.9 Every Waste Hauler must make available for inspection and copying the records described in sections 9.4, 9.5, 9.6, and 9.8, as applicable, to the Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer within seven (7) days of receiving a request from the Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer; provided that, for the records described in sections 9.4(b), 9.4(c) and 9.4(d), a Waste Hauler may redact the building street address number of each Collection Location prior to making such records available for inspection and copying.
- 9.10 Without limiting the rights of inspection and copying pursuant to section 9.9, a Waste Hauler who has received a request from the Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer for inspection and copying of records under that section may submit, in electronic format, the records described in sections 9.4, 9.5, 9.6, and 9.8, as applicable, to the Compliance Manager or Compliance Officer.
- 9.11 A Waste Hauler who submits records pursuant to section 9.10 will be eligible to receive a reduction of fees for one or more Loads subsequently delivered by the Waste Hauler to a

Solid Waste Facility, which fee reduction, in the aggregate, will be equal to the actual costs reasonably incurred by the Waste Hauler in assembling and submitting the records, to a maximum amount of \$3,000 per submission of records, provided that:

- (a) the foregoing records demonstrate that the Waste Hauler has collected and remitted the Generator Levy in accordance with this Bylaw, as confirmed by the Compliance Manager or Compliance Officer in writing; and
- (b) the Waste Hauler provides the Manager with documentary evidence to the satisfaction of the Manager of the actual and reasonable costs incurred to assemble and submit the records.

A submission of records pursuant to section 9.10 in separate batches will for purposes of this section 9.11 constitute a single submission of records by the Waste Hauler and will not entitle the Waste Hauler to receive a separate fee reduction for each batch.

9.12 Sections 7.1, 7.3, 9.1, 9.2 and 9.3 do not apply where a Generator or Waste Hauler:

- (a) delivers a Load comprised of only Source-Separated Recyclable Material to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site;
- (b) delivers a Load comprised of only Construction and Demolition Waste to a Receiving Facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or Vancouver Disposal Site; or
- (c) drops off Source-Separated Recyclable Material at a Recycling Area.

9.13 Sections 9.4, 9.5 and 9.6 do not apply where a Waste Hauler delivers a Load comprised of only Construction and Demolition Waste to a Receiving Facility.

9.14 Where a Load has not been accepted as Source-Separated Recyclable Material for the purpose of recycling by a facility other than a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site, the Manager may, at their discretion, waive any Surcharge or Surcharges or a portion thereof otherwise payable under this Bylaw in respect of such Load when delivered to a Solid Waste Facility.

9.15 Sections 9.4(b), 9.4(c), and 9.4(d) do not apply where a Waste Hauler, on behalf of local government or a Product Steward, picks up Municipal Garbage, Source-Separated Recyclable Material or Product Stewardship Materials from single family residences or transports Municipal Garbage, Source-Separated Recyclable Material or Product Stewardship Materials for single family residences, whether or not mixed with other types of Solid Waste.

9.16 For the purpose of ensuring compliance with this Bylaw, the powers of the Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer include the power to enter on land or premises to:

- (a) inspect, analyze, measure, sample or test any substance, materials or Solid Waste to ascertain the class or quantity of the Solid Waste stored, picked up, transported or delivered;
 - (b) inspect the Load of any Waste Hauler’s vehicle or require that any compartment of the vehicle or any container in or on the vehicle be opened;
 - (c) collect samples, take photographs, make audio or video recordings, make measurements, and document observations related to the storage, pick up, transport or delivery of Solid Waste; and
 - (d) examine record keeping systems, operational procedures, and waste handling protocols.
- 9.17 The Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer who enters land or premises pursuant to section 9.9 or 9.16:
- (a) may take such agents and equipment as may be necessary for the purposes of exercising their rights and powers under section 9.9 or 9.16; and
 - (b) on request, must provide proof of their identity and the identity of any accompanying agents to a person present on the land or premises.
- 9.18 No person shall obstruct or hinder the Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer who is carrying out their duties or functions under this Bylaw.
- 9.19 No person shall misrepresent the class or quantities of Municipal Solid Waste picked up from, transported or delivered for Generators within the geographic area of the GVS&DD.
- 9.20 Any Waste Hauler who omits, fails or refuses to collect, on behalf of the GVS&DD, the Generator Levy from the Generators of Municipal Solid Waste in accordance with the requirements of section 9.1 or any Waste Hauler who omits, fails or refuses to remit the Generator Levy in accordance with sections 9.2(c) and 9.3 must pay the GVS&DD for the amount of the Generator Levy that it omitted, failed or refused to collect or remit.
- 9.21 If a Waste Hauler omits, fails or refuses to collect, on behalf of the GVS&DD, the Generator Levy from the Generators of Municipal Solid Waste in accordance with the requirements of section 9.1, or if a Waste Hauler omits, fails or refuses to make available for inspection and copying any records when required under section 9.9, the GVS&DD may, for a given Quarter, estimate the class(es) or quantities of Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler within the geographic area of the GVS&DD, based upon the following:
- (a) historical quantities of Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler; and

(b) other data or information available to the GVS&DD.

9.22 An estimate of a class or quantity of Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler in accordance with section 9.21 is, for the purpose of calculating the Generator Levy in accordance with this Bylaw, presumed to be the actual class or quantity of Municipal Solid Waste picked up, transported or delivered by the Waste Hauler, unless within 30 days of receiving notice of such estimate the Waste Hauler makes available for inspection and copying to the GVS&DD additional data or information in an electronic or other format acceptable to the GVS&DD that is sufficient to rebut the presumption.

10.0 Generator Levy Rebate

10.1 A Qualified Private Facility may apply to the GVS&DD for a rebate of the Generator Levy in respect of residual waste from the Qualified Private Facility delivered to a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site, where:

- (a) the residual waste is from the Qualified Private Facility only and is not mixed with Solid Waste from other sources;
- (b) the Qualified Private Facility applies for the rebate within 30 days of the end of the calendar month in which the residual waste was delivered to a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site;
- (c) all Tipping Fees and Surcharges payable under this Bylaw for residual waste from the Qualified Private Facility have been paid for the calendar month; and
- (d) the Qualified Private Facility provides documentation satisfactory to the Manager identifying:
 - (i) for each Load of Mixed Solid Waste received at the Qualified Private Facility originating within the geographic area of the GVS&DD, the date, time of delivery, name of the Waste Hauler, and the weight of the Load; and
 - (ii) for each Load of material leaving the Qualified Private Facility, the quantity, type of Solid Waste, date, and destination.

10.2 A Qualified Private Facility is not entitled to a rebate of the Generator Levy under Section 10.1 if any of the conditions set out in that section are not met.

10.3 Subject to section 10.2, the GVS&DD will rebate to the Qualified Private Facility an amount equal to the Generator Levy paid for each metric tonne of residual waste delivered to either a Solid Waste Facility or a Vancouver Disposal Site in the immediately preceding calendar month, up to a maximum of 75% of the total Generator Levy received by the GVS&DD for

Mixed Solid Waste delivered to the Qualified Private Facility in the immediately preceding calendar month.

11.0 Offences

- 11.1 Any person who contravenes a provision of this Bylaw commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$200,000.
- 11.2 Where there is an offence that continues for more than one day, separate fines, each not exceeding the maximum fine for the offence, may be imposed for each day or part thereof in respect of which the offence occurs or continues.
- 11.3 The Compliance Manager or a Compliance Officer is authorized to enforce this Bylaw where a person is alleged to have committed an offence and for that purpose may:
- (a) take steps to ascertain whether the provisions of this Bylaw are being observed;
 - (b) initiate a proceeding; and
 - (c) determine an appropriate amount of the fine that the GVS&DD may seek to impose in the proceeding.
- 11.4 Nothing in this Bylaw limits the GVS&DD from utilizing any other remedy that would otherwise be available at law.

12.0 Interpretation

- 12.1 If a portion of this Bylaw is held to be invalid it shall be severed and the remainder of the Bylaw shall remain in effect.
- 12.2 In this Bylaw, the word "person" includes natural persons, as well as businesses, households, strata corporations, institutions, non-profit societies, and corporations.
- 12.3 Unless otherwise specified, all references to sections or schedules are to sections or schedules of or to this Bylaw.
- 12.4 In this Bylaw, words importing the singular include the plural and vice versa.
- 12.5 References in this Bylaw to an enactment include the enactment as it may be amended or replaced from time to time.

Schedule A

SOLID WASTE FACILITIES

- Central Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre located at 6711 154 Street, Surrey
- Langley Recycling and Waste Centre located at 1070 272 Street, Langley
- Maple Ridge Recycling and Waste Centre located at 10092 236 Street, Maple Ridge
- North Shore Recycling and Waste Centre located at 30 Riverside Drive, North Vancouver
- North Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre located at 9770 192 Street, Surrey
- United Boulevard Recycling and Waste Centre located at 995 United Boulevard, Coquitlam
- Waste-to-Energy Facility located at 5150 Riverbend Drive, Burnaby

Schedule B

FEES AND SURCHARGES

**Table 1 - Tipping Fees for Solid Waste
(including the Generator Levy and the Disposal Rate)**

	Net Weight	North Shore Recycling and Waste Centre	North Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre	United Boulevard Recycling and Waste Centre	Central Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre	Maple Ridge Recycling and Waste Centre	Langley Recycling and Waste Centre	Waste-to- Energy Facility
Municipal Garbage	All Loads	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne	\$134/metric tonne
All Solid Waste other than Municipal Garbage, Construction and Demolition Processing Residual Waste, and Special Handle Waste	0 to 0.99 metric tonnes	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹	\$168/metric tonne ¹
	1.0 to 7.99 metric tonnes	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²	\$146/metric tonne ²
	8.0 metric tonnes or more	\$120/metric tonne	\$120/metric tonne	\$120/metric tonne	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	\$120/metric tonne
Construction and Demolition Processing Residual Waste	All Loads	\$158/metric tonne	\$158/metric tonne	\$158/metric tonne	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	\$158/metric tonne
Minimum Tipping Fee for Solid Waste	Minimum Tipping Fee during Peak Hours	\$20/Load	\$20/Load	\$20/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load
	Minimum Tipping Fee outside of Peak Hours	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load	\$10/Load
Special Handle Waste	All Loads	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	\$281/metric tonne

¹To a maximum of \$146 per Load.

²To a maximum of \$960 per Load.

Table 2 - Transaction Fee

Each Load of Solid Waste disposed of at a Solid Waste Facility and each Load of Gypsum dropped off at a designated Recycling Area	\$5/Load
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Table 3 - Recycling Fees for Recyclable Material dropped off in designated Recycling Areas

Replaced by Bylaw 381, 2024

	North Shore Recycling and Waste Centre	North Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre	United Boulevard Recycling and Waste Centre	Central Surrey Recycling and Waste Centre	Maple Ridge Recycling and Waste Centre	Langley Recycling and Waste Centre	Waste-to-Energy Facility
Municipal Organics	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.
Commercial Organics	\$140/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.	Not accepted.
Source-Separated Organic Waste	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.
Green Waste	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.
Clean Wood	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum.	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$113/metric tonne, \$10 minimum.	Not accepted.
Gypsum – New: less than ½ metric tonne	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$150/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.
Gypsum – Used: less than ½ metric tonne	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	\$200/metric tonne, \$10 minimum	Not accepted.
Mattresses	\$15 per Mattress	\$15 per Mattress	\$15 per Mattress	\$15 per Mattress	\$15 per Mattress	\$15 per Mattress	Not accepted.

Table 4 – Surcharges

Replaced by Bylaw 381, 2024

Loads containing Banned Recyclable Materials other than Food Waste or Expanded Polystyrene Packaging that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load (section 7.9)	50% of the applicable Tipping Fee
Loads containing Contaminated Recyclable Paper that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load (section 7.10)	50% of the applicable Tipping Fee
Loads containing Expanded Polystyrene Packaging that exceeds either 20% of the total weight of the Load or 20% of the total volume of the Load (section 7.11)	100% of the applicable Tipping Fee
Loads containing Food Waste that exceeds either 25% of the total weight of the Load or 25% of the total volume of the Load (section 7.12)	50% of the applicable Tipping Fee
Loads of Municipal Organics or Source-Separated Organic Waste (other than Commercial Organics) containing more than 0.05% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste (section 7.13)	\$50 per Load
Loads of Commercial Organics containing more than 0.5% (by wet weight) of any other type of Solid Waste (section 7.14)	\$50 per Load
Loads containing any Hazardous and Operational Impact Materials or Product Stewardship Materials (section 7.15)	\$73 per Load plus any remediation or clean-up costs
Unsecured Loads (section 7.16)	50% of the applicable Tipping Fee to a maximum of \$50.00

Schedule C

HAZARDOUS AND OPERATIONAL IMPACT MATERIALS

1. Agricultural Waste;
2. Automobile parts and bodies;
3. Solid Waste that is on fire, smoldering, odourous, dusty, flammable or explosive;
4. Hazardous Waste as defined in the *Hazardous Waste Regulation*, B.C. Reg. 63/88;
5. Propane tanks;
6. Liquids or sludge;
7. Coated or uncoated wire, hosing, rope or cable exceeding 1.0 metre in length;
8. Dead animals;
9. Inert fill material including soil, sod, gravel, concrete and asphalt exceeding 0.5 cubic metres per Load.
10. Excrement, other than amounts of pet excrement that are double bagged and discarded with Municipal Solid Waste and that do not exceed either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load;
11. Personal Hygiene Products where the Personal Hygiene Products make up more than 10% of the Load unless the Personal Hygiene Products are double bagged in sealed plastic bags that are sufficiently durable to resist leaking or breaking during collection and disposal;
12. Barrels, drums, pails or other large (205 litre or greater) liquid containers;
13. Any single object that:
 - (a) weighs more than 100 kilograms; or
 - (b) exceeds 1.2 metres in width or 2.5 metres in length, except at the Waste-to-Energy Facility where a single object must not exceed 1.0 metre in length.
14. Gypsum;
15. Mattresses;
16. Railroad ties or creosote treated wood;
17. Toxic Plants;

18. Solid Waste that would cause undue risk of injury or occupational disease to any person at the Solid Waste Facility or that would otherwise contravene the *Occupational Health and Safety Regulation* B.C. Reg. 296/97 enacted pursuant to the *Workers Compensation Act*, R.S.B.C. 2019 c. 1, as amended or replaced from time to time; and
19. Any other Solid Waste that the Manager considers unsuitable for handling at a Solid Waste Facility.

Schedule D

BANNED RECYCLABLE MATERIALS

1. Beverage containers identified in "Schedule 1- Beverage Container Product Category" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
2. Containers other than beverage containers made of:
 - (a) metal;
 - (b) glass;
 - (c) polyethylene terephthalate (number 1 PET plastic), high density polyethylene (number 2 HDPE plastic), low density polyethylene (number 4 LDPE plastic) or polypropylene (number 5 PP); or
 - (d) composite materials to create rigid packaging consisting of paper and polyethylene (gable top cartons, frozen food boxes, ice cream cartons and microwaveable dinner cartons) or paper, polyethylene and aluminum (aseptic cartons);
3. Corrugated Cardboard;
4. Recyclable Paper;
5. Green Waste;
6. Food Waste;
7. Clean Wood; and
8. Expanded Polystyrene Packaging.

Schedule E

PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP MATERIALS

1. The following materials pursuant to Schedule 2 - Residual Product Category to the *Recycling Regulation*:
 - (a) Solvents and flammable liquids;
 - (b) Pesticides;
 - (c) Gasoline;
 - (d) Pharmaceutical products and medications;
 - (e) Oil, oil filters and oil containers;
 - (f) Lubricating oils and lubricating oil containers;
 - (g) Paint and paint containers;
 - (h) Lead-acid batteries;
 - (i) Antifreeze and antifreeze containers;
2. Electronics and electrical products, including metal household and commercial appliance, as identified in Schedule 3 - Electronics and Electrical Products Category to the *Recycling Regulation*, but excluding electronic devices used to observe the movement of waste within the region;
3. Tires pursuant to Schedule 4 - Tire Product Category to the *Recycling Regulation*.

Schedule F

CUSTOMER CHARGE ACCOUNTS

1. Any person wishing to establish a customer charge account with the GVS&DD must complete the GVS&DD's application for credit ("**Application for Credit**").
2. The Treasury Manager may approve the Application for Credit on behalf of the GVS&DD and establish a customer charge account for a person for up to \$250,000.
3. The Division Manager of Financial Planning and Processes may approve the Application for Credit on behalf of the GVS&DD and establish a customer charge account for a person for amounts up to \$500,000.
4. The Chief Financial Officer may approve the Application for Credit on behalf of the GVS&DD and establish a customer charge account for a person for amounts up to \$2,000,000.
5. If the GVS&DD approves a person's Application for Credit and establishes a customer charge account, then:
 - (a) the person, or a Waste Hauler authorized by the person, may leave the Solid Waste Facility before paying the applicable Tipping Fees, Transaction Fee, Recycling Fees and Surcharges; and
 - (b) the GVS&DD will generate invoices for Tipping Fees, Transaction Fees, Recycling Fees and Surcharges on a monthly basis for up to the established customer charge account limit, which invoices are payable within 35 days.
6. Where a person fails or refuses to pay an invoice for Tipping Fees, Transaction Fees, Recycling Fees and Surcharges within 35 days, then the GVS&DD may rescind their customer charge account and the person must:
 - (a) pay interest at the rate of 1.25% per month (15% per year) compounded monthly and calculated daily on all amounts overdue, including all overdue interest, from the date the charge was due to the date of payment; and
 - (b) not dispose of any Solid Waste at a Solid Waste Facility or drop off Recyclable Material in a designated Recycling Area until any outstanding invoice has been paid in full.