

COMOX VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 861

A bylaw to amend tipping fees and charges for the Comox Valley and Campbell River Waste Management Centres

WHEREAS the Comox Valley Regional District adopted Bylaw No. 720 being the “Comox Strathcona Waste Management Service Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 720, 2022” on June 16, 2022;

AND WHEREAS the board desires to update the bylaw to amend tipping fees and charges;

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

Amendment

1. Bylaw No. 720 being “Comox Strathcona Waste Management Service Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 720, 2022” is hereby amended by:

a. Inserting the following definition in alphabetical order under Section 1 – “Definitions”.

**“Municipal
Solid Waste
Under
Municipal
Contract”**

means **Municipal Solid Waste** collected by **Municipal Curbside Collection** programs, which may include other sources as authorized by the **Manager** or **Senior Manager”**

b. Replacing Schedule A – “Tipping Fees and Charges for the Comox Valley and Campbell River Waste Management Centres” with the new Schedule A attached as Appendix A and forming part of this bylaw.

Citation

2. This Bylaw No. 861 may be cited as “Comox Strathcona Waste Management Service Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 720, 2022, Amendment No. 3”.

Read a first time this	30th	day of	January	2025.
Read a second time this	30th	day of	January	2025.
Read a third time this	30th	day of	January	2025.
Adopted this		day of		2025.

Chair

Corporate Officer

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 861 being "Comox Strathcona Waste Management Service Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 720, 2022, Amendment No. 3" as adopted by the Board of the Comox Valley Regional District on the xx day of xxx, 2025.

Corporate Officer

Appendix A

Schedule A
Tipping Fees and Charges for the
Comox Valley and Campbell River Waste Management Centres

Fees and charges for **Municipal Solid Waste, Controlled Waste** and **Recyclable Materials** as defined in Bylaw 720, originating within the boundaries of the Comox Valley and Strathcona regional districts, accepted for **Disposal** at the Comox Valley and Campbell River **Waste Management Centres** are charged at the following rates. **Out-of-Area Waste** is only for other regional districts upon request from their respective Board of Directors authorized by the **Comox Strathcona Waste Management** Board – refer to Schedule B.

Prices are per metric tonne or cubic metres and will be pro-rated for a portion thereof and subject to a minimum charge. All items charged on a per metric tonne basis are measured by weight on the scale provided at the **Waste Management Centres** by the **Regional District** charged to the nearest twenty-five cents.

		Effective Jan 1, 2024		Effective Apr 1, 2025 unless otherwise noted *	
Material Type		Minimum Charge	In-Area Charge	Minimum Charge	In-Area Charge
Solid Waste excluding Controlled Waste					
1	Municipal Solid Waste	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$165/tonne
2	Municipal Solid Waste containing Recyclable Materials or Prohibited Waste *	\$37/0-100 kg	\$365/tonne	\$39/0-100 kg	\$388/tonne
3	Municipal Solid Waste – Under Municipal Contract	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne
4	Municipal Solid Waste – Under Municipal Contract containing Recyclable Materials or Prohibited Waste *	\$37/0-100 kg	\$365/tonne	\$39/0-100 kg	\$388/tonne

*Effective October 1, 2025					
5	Construction and Demolition Waste Must be less than 6ft	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$205/tonne
*Effective October 1, 2025					
6	Construction and Demolition Waste containing Recyclable Materials or Prohibited Waste * Must be less than 6ft	\$33/0-100 kg	\$365/tonne	\$44/0-100 kg	\$436/tonne
7	Asbestos Containing Materials Only accepted up to 9 bags at Campbell River Waste Management Centre with supporting analytical report	\$31/0-100 kg	\$310/tonne	\$31/0-100 kg	\$310/tonne
8	Clean Fill Advance approval and supporting analytical data required for loads in excess of 1000 kilograms	\$10/0-100 kg	\$40/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$60/tonne
9	Controlled Waste Only accepted at Comox Valley Waste Management Centre Must be less than 6ft Advance approval and supporting analytical data required	\$20/0-100 kg	\$200/tonne	\$20/0-100 kg	\$200/tonne
10	Invasive Species	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne
11	Roofing Material	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$165/tonne
12	Rubble	\$10/0-100 kg	\$40/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$60/tonne

13	Surcharge for Improperly covered or secured load	Not Applicable	\$20/incident	Not Applicable	\$20/incident
14	Surcharge for Mattress Includes box spring and hide-a-bed	Not Applicable	\$20/unit	Not Applicable	\$20/unit
Recyclable Materials and Compost					
15	Clean Wood Waste	\$12/0-100 kg	\$120/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$120/tonne
16	Commercial Recycling	\$10/0-100 kg	\$60/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$60/tonne
17	Comingled Food and Yard Waste - Under Municipal Contract	Not Applicable	\$110/tonne	Not Applicable	\$110/tonne
18	Comingled Food and Yard Waste - Others	Not Applicable	-	Not Applicable	\$130/tonne
19	Cut Grass and Leaves	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne
20	Yard Waste	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$65/tonne
21	Gypsum - Divertible Supporting analytical report required for gypsum from 1989 or older	\$28/0-100 kg	\$275/tonne	\$29/0-100 kg	\$285/tonne
22	Metal	Not Applicable	Free	Not Applicable	Free
23	Stewardship Materials	Not Applicable	Free	Not Applicable	Free
24	Non Stewardship Material and on-rim Tires	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$165/tonne
25	Ocean Plastics Advanced approval required and acceptance contingent upon capacity during pilot phase	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$165/tonne

26	Household Hazardous Waste not covered by Stewardship Materials	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10
27	Refrigerant Containing Units covered by Stewardship Materials	Not Applicable	Free	Not Applicable	Free
28	Non-Ammonia Refrigerant Containing Units not covered by Stewardship Materials	\$10/0-100 kg	\$155/tonne	\$10/0-100 kg	\$165/tonne
29	Ammonia Containing Units not covered by Stewardship Materials	-	-	\$50/unit	\$50/unit
Miscellaneous Charges					
30	Asbestos Bags	Not Applicable	\$2/bag	Not Applicable	\$2/bag
31	Finished Compost	\$20/m3	\$20/m3 \$15.30/yd	\$20/m3	\$20/m3 \$15.30/yd
32	Use of Weight Scale Only	\$5	\$5	\$5	\$5

Special Notes

- 1) **Controlled Waste** and 40 yard **Roll-Off Bins** are only accepted at the Comox Valley Waste Management Centre (no longer accepted at the Campbell River Waste Management Centre).
- 2) 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** as outlined in Section 5 of this Bylaw.
- 3) Recycling facilities are provided for selected commodities, which may be accepted free of charge when deposited in the corresponding containers provided.
- 4) **Municipal Solid Waste, Municipal Solid Waste – Under Municipal Contract** or **Construction and Demolition Waste** loads containing 10% or more **Recyclable Materials** or divertible items (by weight or volume, whichever is higher) or loads containing a higher volume of mixed materials, from residential or **Commercial** sources, will be charged the corresponding higher tipping fee. This will be assessed by staff on an individual basis and charged accordingly. Continued **Contamination** infractions, may result in a temporary or permanent ban under this Bylaw; residential or **Commercial** customers may be asked to reload their contaminated load and taken offsite.

