



The Corporation of the District of North Cowichan

Fees and Charges Amendment Bylaw

BYLAW NO. 4024

A bylaw to amend Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 3784 to update the fees associated with the collection of garbage, organic waste and recyclables

The Council of The Corporation of The District of North Cowichan, enacts in open meeting assembled, as follows:

Citation

1 This Bylaw may be cited as "*Fees and Charges Amendment Bylaw No. 4024, 2025*".

Amendment

- 2 That Schedule C – Development and Permitting Fees (*Section 2, Engineering Fees*), of Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 3784, 2020 is hereby amended by
- (a) deleting sections 1 and 2 in their entirety, and
 - (b) deleting items 30, 31, 32 and 39 from the table.
- 3 That Schedule H – Waste Collection Fees (*Section 1, Garbage, Organics and Recyclables Collection*), attached as Schedule "1" and forming part of this bylaw, be added to the Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 3784, 2020.

READ a first time on July 16, 2025.
READ a second time on July 16, 2025.
READ a third time on July 16, 2025.
ADOPTED on _____.

CORPORATE OFFICER

PRESIDING MEMBER

SCHEDULE "1"

SCHEDULE H – WASTE COLLECTION FEES

(Section 1, Garbage, Organics and Recyclables Collection)

1. Waste collection fees payable under this section, Schedule H [Waste Collection Fees], Section 1 [Garbage, Organics and Recyclable Collection] are due within 3 months of invoice.
2. Waste collection fees payable under this section, Schedule H [Waste Collection Fees], Section 1 [Garbage, Organics and Recyclable Collection] that remain unpaid on December 31 shall be deemed to be taxes in arrears, in accordance with the *Community Charter*.

Item	Column 1 Description	Column 2 Amount
Single Family Dwelling:		
1	80-litre garbage cart and 80-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$157)	\$52.34
2	80-litre garbage cart and 120-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$187)	\$62.33
3	80-litre garbage cart and 240-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$242)	\$80.67
4	120-litre garbage cart and 80-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$202)	\$67.33
5	120-litre garbage cart and 120-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$232)	\$77.33
6	120-litre garbage cart and 240-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$287)	\$95.67
7	240-litre garbage cart and 80-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$282)	\$94.00
8	240-litre garbage cart and 120-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$312)	\$104.00
9	240-litre garbage cart and 240-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$367)	\$122.33
Single Family Dwelling with a Secondary Suites:		
If you own a single-family dwelling that includes a secondary suite, please be advised:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your property will be charged for two waste collection services—one for the primary residence and one for the secondary suite—in accordance with Waste Collection Bylaw No. 4012. This applies even if your property only has two carts (e.g., 1 garbage and 1 organics cart shared between both units). The billing is based on the number of dwelling units, not the number of carts. • Any Single-Family Dwelling with a Secondary Suite having a cart combination not listed below, will pay the above Single Family Dwelling cost for each dwelling. 		
10	240-litre garbage cart and 120-litre organics cart shared between dwellings: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$157 each unit)	\$52.34 per dwelling, or \$104.68 for both dwellings
11	1-240-litre garbage cart and 1-80-litre organics cart shared between dwellings: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$157 each unit)	\$52.34 per dwelling, or \$104.68 for both dwellings
12	2-80-litre garbage carts and 2-80-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$157 each unit)	\$52.34 per dwelling, or \$104.68 for both dwellings
13	1-120-litre garbage cart and 1-120-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$232), and 1-80-litre garbage cart and 1-80-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$157)	\$77.34 (main home), and \$52.34 (secondary suite), or \$129.68 for both dwellings

14	1-240-litre garbage cart and 1-240-litre organics cart: Tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$183.50 each unit)	\$61.17 per dwelling, or \$122.34 for both dwellings
Miscellaneous:		
15	Cart exchange (up to two carts per exchange)	\$30 per exchange
16	Recycling bag	\$3 each
17	Recycle sticker	\$1 each
15	120-litre bear resistant garbage or organics cart: Additional tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$30)	\$10
16	240-litre bear resistant garbage or organics cart: Additional tri-annual per dwelling unit (annual cost of \$40)	\$13.33