CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 523, 2023

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL RATES AND CHARGES

A bylaw to establish solid waste management rates and charges at the Thorsen Creek Waste and Recycling Centre within Electoral Areas C, D & E and to amend and replace Schedule A to Bylaw 348, effective April 1, 2023.

WHEREAS through Bylaw No. 402, 2011 the Central Coast Regional District established the function of establishing, developing, operating, managing, and maintaining a solid waste and recycling centre;

AND WHEREAS the Central Coast Regional District Board of Directors has deemed it necessary and is empowered to update the rate structure and develop new rates and charges for solid waste and other disposal;

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Directors for the Central Coast Regional District, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

- 1. Schedule "A" to Bylaw 348 cited as the "Central Coast Regional District Refuse Disposal Regulatory Bylaw No. 348, 2002" and subsequent amendments thereto, is hereby amended and replaced with the attached Schedule "A", Solid Waste Disposal Rates and Charges.
- 2. This bylaw may be cited as the "Central Coast Regional District Solid Waste Disposal Rates and Charges Bylaw No. 523, 2023".

READ A FIRST and SECOND and THIRD time this 23rd day of March, 2023.

| ADOPTED this 23 rd day | y of March, 2023. | • | |
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| Chair | | Corporate Administr | rator |
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"Certified a true copy of Bylaw No. 523, 2023 cited as the "Central Coast Regional District Solid Waste Rates and Charges Bylaw No. 523, 2023" as adopted on March 23,2023."

Corporate Administrator

CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 523

CCRD SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL RATES AND CHARGES SCHEDULE 'A'

Definitions:

"Biomedical Waste" means solid waste such as soiled sheets, garments, and other similar solid waste. Excluded is waste material from pathology, operating rooms, laboratories and other hospital operations, which produce potentially infectious waste considered to be special waste;

"Controlled Waste" means certain hazardous waste, liquid waste, and Municipal Solid Waste which is approved for disposal at the Thorsen Creek landfill site but which, because of its inherent nature and quantity, may require special handling and disposal techniques to avoid creating health hazards, nuisances, or environmental pollution. Controlled Waste includes, but is not limited to:

- a. Demolition waste including:
 - i. Roofing materials;
 - ii. Clean construction materials;
 - iii. Drywall/gypsum board;
 - iv. Stumps, land clearing debris;
 - v. Yard and garden waste (branches 2" and under).
- b. Contaminated soils:
 - i. Traces of petroleum products;
 - ii. Catch basin and manhole material
- c. Fish shrimp shells, animal carcasses;
- d. Steel cable:
- e. Biomedical waste;
- f. Loads containing fish feed totes.

"Corrugated Cardboard" means recyclable waste from industrial, commercial, institutional sources which includes but is not limited to: containers or materials used in containers consisting of 3 or more layers of Kraft paper material and having smooth exterior liners and a corrugated or rippled core, but excluding containers which are impregnated with blood, grease, oil, chemicals, food residue, was; or have polyethylene, foil or other non-paper liners; or are contaminated with a material which will render the corrugated cardboard not marketable;

"Construction/Demolition Waste" means waste produced from the construction, renovation, and demolition of building, bridges, wharfs, rail lines and other structures, but does not

include waste containing or contaminated with asbestos, creosote, PCB treatments, paints or chemicals of any kind;

"Hazardous Waste" means gaseous, liquid and solid waste which, because of its inherent nature and quantity, requires special disposal techniques to avoid creating health hazards, nuisances, or environmental pollution. Hazardous Wastes are toxins or poisons, corrosives, irritants, strong sensitizers, flammables, explosives, infectious waste, condemned food, etc., flammable wastes excluding plastics, paper products and the like;

"Ignitable" means having the properties of:

- a. Flammable gas,
 - b. Flammable liquid, or
- c. Flammable solids, or substances susceptible to spontaneous combustion or substances that on contact with water emit flammable gasses as defined in the Special Waste Regulations of the Environmental Management Act;

"Metal" means recyclable ferrous and non-ferrous metallic materials which include, but are not limited to: sheet metal, siding, roofing, rebar, flashings, pipes, window frames, doors, furnaces, duct work, wire, cable, bathtubs, fencing, bicycle frames, automotive parts, machinery, appliances, garbage cans, metal furniture, tire rims and metal cans. It does not include metal that is incorporated into a product or packaging, such as a couch, that does not compose more than 50% of produce weight and that cannot be readily separated from the non-metallic components;

"Radioactive Waste" means waste containing a prescribed substance as defined in the Atomic Energy Control Act in sufficient quantity or concentration to require a licence for possession or use under the Act and regulations made under that Act;

"Reactive Waste" means waste which is:

- a. Explosive, oxidizing, or so unstable that it readily undergoes violent change in the presence of air or water;
- b. Generates toxic gasses, vapours, or fumes by itself or when mixed with water; and
- Polymerizes in whole or in part by chemical action and causes damage by generating heat or increasing volume; as defined in the Special Waste Regulations of the Environmental Management Act;

"Refuse" means discarded or abandoned materials, substances or objects; but does not include Controlled Waste and Prohibited Waste;

"Stewardship Materials" means any waste or recyclable materials in an approved stewardship plan as defined in the Recycling Regulation of the BC Environmental Management Act.

| Solid Waste, excluding Controlled Waste | Tipping Fee | Other Charges | Notes |
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| Residential household refuse-bagged | No Charge | | |
| Residential Refuse – Loose (unbagged) | \$41 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | Includes large household items such as furniture, swimming pools |
| Commercial, institutional or industrial general refuse – Includes bagged waste | \$41 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | |
| Commercially or institutionally generated corrugated cardboard | \$39 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | Uncompacted cardboard is charged at ½ rate |

Note 1: In the event that an incoming load contains multiple categories of waste, the higher of the applicable minimum charges will be applied.

Note 2: Metals, clean wood waste and cardboard must be sorted and disposed of in the appropriate bins at the transfer station or in landfill area as directed by attendant.

| Controlled Waste | Tipping Fee | Other Charges | Notes |
|--|-----------------------|---|---|
| Construction & Demolition Waste | \$54 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 Unsorted \$108 per cubic meter | See Note 1 below. |
| Clean Wood Waste | \$41 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | |
| Yard & Garden Waste | \$41 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | |
| Stumps, land clearing debris | \$54 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$54 | |
| Steel Cable | \$268 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | Maximum 10' lengths |
| Fishing Nets | \$134 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | |
| Cooking Oil | Free | | Accepted at attendant's discretion |
| Animal Carcasses | \$67 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | No charge for critters disposed of by a government agency |
| Asbestos | \$67 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$67 | Requires CCRD approval |
| Creosoted/Treated wood | \$201 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | Accepted at CCRD discretion |
| Hydrocarbon Contaminated Soil | \$268 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$268 plus any estimated out of pocket treatment costs | Must be Ministry of Environment Approved and receive CCRD approval |
| Other Waste such as large items requiring special handling, or items that are not suitable for landfilling such as concrete, asphalt | As determined by CCRD | | Accepted at CCRD discretion |

Note 1: Loads of construction and demolition debris must have metals and clean wood waste separated and be disposed of in the designated bins at the transfer station. Deposition of unsorted waste must receive CCRD permission.

Note 2: In the event that an incoming load contains multiple categories of waste, the higher of the applicable minimum charges will be applied.

Note 3: Volumes of incoming waste will be determined by the Landfill Attendant or other person(s) designated by the Central Coast Regional District as the regional district representative. If a customer wishes to dispute the assessed volume, this must be done in writing to the CCRD Operations Manager or designate prior to deposition of the waste at the transfer station/landfill. The CCRD Operations Manager or designate will issue a determination that is final.

| Recyclable Materials | Tipping Fee | Other Charges | Notes |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Fridges/Freezers/ODS | \$54 each | | Doors must be |
| Containing Appliances | | | removed and no food |
| | | | inside |
| Large Appliances | \$26.00 each | | , |
| (stoves, washers, | | | |
| dryers, dishwashers) | | | |
| Recyclable Metal | \$41 per cubic meter | Minimum Charge \$5 | All motors must have |
| | | | fluids removed. Metal |
| | | | tanks must be empty |
| | | | prior to disposal. |
| Mattresses and box | \$41 per item | | |
| springs | | | |
| Tires (Light Vehicle and | Free | | |
| bicycle) with Rims | | | |
| Removed | , | | |
| Tires with Rims (light | Not accepted | | Not Accepted |
| vehicle) | · | · | |
| Commercial, farm and | Charged according to | | Rims must be removed |
| off-road tires | Tire Stewardship BC | | |
| | pricing plus \$15 | | |
| · | handling fee per tire | | |
| Vehicle Hulks (light | \$402 each | | All fluids, batteries and |
| Duty passenger | t i i | <u>-</u> | tires must be removed |
| vehicles). | | | by a licenced |
| 1 | | . • | inspection facility |
| | | | unless otherwise |
| | | | authorized by CCRD |
| Commercial Vehicle | As determined by CCRD | | Accepted at CCRD |
| Hulks | | | discretion |
| 1 lb propane tanks | Free | | |
| Propane tanks >1lb to | \$12 | · | |
| 100 lb | | | |
| Stewardship program | FREE | | Certain stewardship |
| materials such as | | 1 | programs prohibit the |
| household generated | | | collection of |
| packaging, cardboard, | | | commercially |
| light bulbs, light | , | | generated items. In |
| fixtures, paint, | | | such instances a |
| household hazardous | | <u>.</u> | |

| waste, batteries, used | | | tipping fee will be |
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| oil & Antifreeze, oil | -s | | assessed. |
| filters and containers, | | | |
| small appliances, and | | | |
| electronics. | | _ | |

| Other Rates & Charges | Amount (\$) | Notes |
|---|------------------|---|
| Dumping of 4-yard bins with CCRD Packer Truck | \$5 per bin | This charge is in addition to tipping fees |
| Storage of 4-yard bins at transfer station | \$2/bin per day | Bins lids must be properly secured to prevent access by bears or other wildlife |
| Special Opening of Landfill | At cost plus 20% | Subject to approval by CCRD. A 4-hour minimum will apply. |

| Prohibited Waste – The following wastes are not accepted | for landfilling |
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| Liquid waste - with the exception of cooking oil which mu | st be disposed of in accordance with the |
| transfer station attendant's direction | |
| Hazardous waste with the exception of asbestos and hydr | ocarbon contaminated soils |
| Ignitable wastes | |
| Reactive Wastes | |
| Radioactive waste | |
| Biomedical/Medical Waste | |
| Pool Chemicals | |
| Solid waste that is on fire or smouldering | |
| Metal that is recyclable | |
| Clean wood waste | |
| Stewardship materials | |