

APPROVAL REPORT

Proposed 2020 Rate and Fee Increases

ISSUE

This report submits a number of Bylaws to implement rate and fee increases for 2020 and 2021 (the “Bylaws”) for City Council’s consideration.

RECOMMENDATION

That City Council consider:

1. Bylaw No. 9662, *The Cemeteries Amendment Bylaw, 2019 (No. 2)*;
2. Bylaw No. 9663, *The Waste Amendment Bylaw, 2019 (No. 2)*;
3. Bylaw No. 9664, *The Building Amendment Bylaw, 2019 (No. 3)*;
4. Bylaw No. 9665, *The Waterworks Amendment Bylaw, 2019 (No. 2)*;
5. Bylaw No. 9666, *The Sewer Use Amendment Bylaw, 2019*; and
6. Bylaw No. 9667, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2019 (No. 3)*.

BACKGROUND

At the 2020 Business Plan and Budget review meetings held on November 25, 26, and 27, 2019, City Council received a report of the Chief Financial Officer requesting approval to establish the cemetery fees for services provided at Woodlawn Cemetery, the commercial garbage collection rates, the residential recycling fees, the building permit program fees, the water usage charges, the sanitary sewer service charges and the pet licensing fees for 2020 and 2021.

City Council resolved the fees and rates be established as outlined in the Chief Financial Officer’s report and that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the necessary bylaw amendments.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS

In accordance with City Council’s instructions, we are pleased to submit the Bylaws for City Council’s consideration.

APPENDICES

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Report Approval

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