

DISTRICT OF NORTH SAANICH

BYLAW NO. 1577

A BYLAW TO AMEND "DISTRICT OF NORTH SAANICH FEES AND CHARGES BYLAW No. 1471, 2018"

WHEREAS Section 194 of the *Community Charter* authorizes municipalities by bylaw to impose fees and charges for the provision of various services and/or information;

AND WHEREAS Council deems it necessary and desirable to exercise the authority provided by the *Community Charter* to cover costs of providing various services and information;

AND WHEREAS Section 41 of the *Liquor Control and Licensing Act* authorizes municipalities by bylaw to impose fees associated with providing recommendations for on an application for the issue or amendment of a licence under this Act in order to recover costs incurred by the local government in assessing the application;

AND WHEREAS Section 35 of the *Cannabis Control and Licensing Act* authorizes municipalities by bylaw to impose fees associated with providing recommendations for on an application for the issue or amendment of a licence under this Act in order to recover costs incurred by the local government in assessing the application;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the District of North Saanich, in open meeting lawfully assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

AMENDMENTS

- 1. District of North Saanich Municipal Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 1471, 2018 is amended as follows:
 - a. Schedule A is amended by inserting the following rows in the Business Licence Fees Table:

Cannabis Retail	\$500.00	
Liquor Store	\$500.00	

b. Schedule A is further amended by inserting a new fee table after the Business Licence Fees Table as follows:

Provincial Referral Fees

Category	Fee
Liquor License Referral Cost-Recovery Fee	\$1,500.00*
Cannabis License Referral Cost-Recovery Fee	\$1,500.00*

*The fee associated with the provincial referral will only be collected if the Municipality opts to provide recommendations regarding the license application to the Provincial Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch.

<u>CITATION</u>

2. This Bylaw may be known and cited for all purposes as "North Saanich Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 1471, (2018), Amendment Bylaw No. 1577, (2024)".

READ A FIRST TIME the 23rd day of September, 2024

READ A SECOND TIME the 23rd day of September, 2024

READ A THIRD TIME the 23rd day of September, 2024

FINALLY ADOPTED the 7th day of October, 2024

MAYOR CORPORATE OFFICER