

**DISTRICT OF COLDSTREAM  
BYLAW NO. 1727, 2018**

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**A BYLAW TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES TO ITS  
MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS, PURSUANT TO THE COMMUNITY CHARTER**

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WHEREAS the *Community Charter* allows for remuneration and payment of expenses for the Mayor and Councillors;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the District of Coldstream ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

**TITLE**

- 1 This Bylaw may be cited as “DISTRICT OF COLDSTREAM COUNCIL REMUNERATION BYLAW NO. 1727, 2018”.

**INTERPRETATION**

- 2 (1) Unless otherwise provided in this Bylaw, words and phrases used herein have the same meanings as in the *Community Charter*, *Local Government Act* and the *Interpretation Act* as the context and circumstances may require.
- (2) A reference to an Act in this Bylaw refers to a statute of British Columbia, and a reference to any statute, regulation, bylaw or other enactment refers to that enactment as it may be amended or replaced from time to time.
- (3) Words in the singular include the plural, and words in the plural include the singular.
- (4) Headings are for convenience only and must not be construed as defining or limiting the scope or intent of the provisions.

**SEVERABILITY**

- 3 If any part of this Bylaw is held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid part is severed and the remainder of the Bylaw continues to be valid.

**REMUNERATION**

- 4 (1) Effective January 1, 2019, the Mayor shall be paid the annual sum of \$34,000 for discharge of the duties of office.
- (2) Effective January 1, 2019, each Councillor shall be paid the annual sum of \$15,000 for discharge of the duties of office.

- (3) Council remuneration increases shall be made annually effective January 1 and shall be based on the percentage of the BC Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased over the previous calendar year. In years where there is a negative CPI change, Council remuneration would remain the same.
- (4) There shall be paid to each member of Council, an amount of \$131.68 for prescribed meetings. Payment shall be based on one meeting pay per day, for attendance at the following meetings if they are not being paid to attend from any other source:
  - (a) Regional District of North Okanagan (RDNO) and all RDNO Committees;
  - (b) Okanagan Regional Library;
  - (c) Any others authorized by resolution of Council.
- (5) For each month a Councillor is appointed as Acting Mayor, a payment equivalent to one meeting pay shall form part of that Councillor’s remuneration.

**REPEAL**

5 “District of Coldstream Council Remuneration Bylaw No. 1640, 2013” is repealed.

READ A FIRST TIME this	9 <sup>th</sup>	day of	July	2018
READ A SECOND TIME this	9 <sup>th</sup>	day of	July	2018
READ A THIRD TIME this	9 <sup>th</sup>	day of	July	2018
ADOPTED this	23 <sup>rd</sup>	day of	July	2018

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Corporate Officer

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Mayor