

# CITY OF MERRITT

## BYLAW NO. 2285

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### A BYLAW TO AMEND FEES AND CHARGES BYLAW

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WHEREAS section 194 of the *Community Charter* permits a local government to impose fees and charges for all or parts of a service of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS Council adopted Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 2176, 2015;

AND WHEREAS Council for the City of Merritt wishes to amend fees and charges from time to time;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Merritt in open meeting assembled enacts as follows:

1. This bylaw will be cited as **“FEES AND CHARGES AMENDING BYLAW NO. 2285, 2020”**
2. Schedule “D” of City of Merritt Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 2176, 2015, as amended, is hereby replaced in its entirety with the attached Schedule “A”.
3. Schedule “E” of City of Merritt Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 2176, 2015 is amended by removing the line “RCMP Criminal Searches - \$35.00 per criminal search” from the table.
4. City of Merritt Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 2176, 2015, is amended by adding the attached Schedule “B” as Schedule “N”.

READ A FIRST TIME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

READ A SECOND TIME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

READ A THIRD TIME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

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Linda Brown,  
MAYOR

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Sean Smith,  
CORPORATE OFFICER

**Schedule "A"**

**SCHEDULE D TO BYLAW NO. 2176, 2015  
CEMETERY FEE SCHEDULE**

| <b>Grave Space</b><br>(including Care Fund Contribution of 25%) | <b>Resident</b> | <b>Non-Resident</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|
| Adult   | \$ 700.00       | \$ 850.00           |
| Child   | \$ 500.00       | \$ 600.00           |
| Infant  | \$ 400.00       | \$ 500.00           |
| Cremated Remains  | \$ 350.00       | \$ 450.00           |

| <b>Burial Fees</b> | <b>Resident</b> | <b>Non-Resident</b> |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Adult              | \$ 745.00       | \$ 795.00           |
| Child              | \$ 490.00       | \$ 540.00           |
| Infant             | \$ 385.00       | \$ 435.00           |
| Cremated Remains   | \$ 375.00       | \$ 425.00           |

| <b>Columbarium Niche</b><br>(including Care Fund Contribution of 10%) | <b>Resident</b> | <b>Non-Resident</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|
| Top Row (12" x 12" x 16")   | \$ 1,925.00     | \$ 2,310.00         |
| Middle Row (12" x 12" x 16")  | \$ 1,760.00     | \$ 2,112.00         |
| Bottom Row (12" x 12" x 16")  | \$ 1,650.00     | \$ 1,980.00         |
| Base Row (12" x 12" x 27")  | \$ 2,585.00     | \$ 3,102.00         |

| <b>Exhumation Fees</b> | <b>Resident</b> | <b>Non-Resident</b> |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Adult                  | \$ 845.00       | \$ 895.00           |
| Child                  | \$ 590.00       | \$ 640.00           |
| Infant                 | \$ 485.00       | \$ 535.00           |
| Cremated remains       | \$ 475.00       | \$ 525.00           |

| <b>Miscellaneous Goods and Services</b>                                     | <b>Fee</b>         |
|---|--------------------|
| Deeper depth burial   | \$ 500.00          |
| Extra Charge for Burials Before 9:00 AM or After 2:30 PM - Monday to Friday | \$ 200.00          |
| Extra Charge for Burials on Saturday, Sunday or Statutory Holidays          | \$ 300.00          |
| Transfer of license   | \$ 50.00           |
| Memorial Installation or Niche portrait Installation                        | \$ 100.00          |
| Niche Open and Close fee  | \$ 100.00          |
| Removal of Memorial   | \$ 100.00          |
| Reinstallation of Memorial  | \$ 100.00          |
| Fiberglass grave liners   | City cost plus 15% |

\* In addition, all above charges are subject to applicable taxes.

**Schedule "B"**

**SCHEDULE N TO BYLAW NO. 2176, 2015  
RCMP Administrative Fees and Charges**

| <b>Service or Document Provided</b>  | <b>Fee</b>                 |
|--|----------------------------|
| Accident Investigation, Insurance Inquiries, Legal Inquiries                 | \$60.00 + \$0.50 per page  |
| Court Orders   | \$80.00 + \$0.50 per page  |
| Colour Photos (Printed)  | \$1.50 per page            |
| Digital Photos (CD/DVD)  | \$25.00                    |
| Fingerprints   | \$55.00                    |
| Field or Scale Diagrams  | \$30.00                    |
| Mechanical Inspection Report   | \$350.00                   |
| MV6020 (ICBC Accident Report Form)   | \$40.00                    |
| Photocopies  | \$0.50 per page            |
| Police Information Checks (PICS/Criminal Record Checks)                      | \$45.00                    |
| Shipping & Packaging   | \$10.00                    |
| Traffic Analyst Reports  | \$100.00 + \$0.50 per page |
| Transcription of Statements  | \$7.50 per page            |
| Volunteers/Non-profit organizations – Criminal Record Checks or fingerprints | No Charge                  |

\*Taxes, where applicable, are not included