

PATIO REGULATION BYLAW, AMENDMENT BYLAW (NO. 4)

A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

The purpose of this Bylaw is to amend the *Patio Regulation Bylaw* to:

1. Update the Area Rate Tables to set 2025 and 2026 Fee Area Rates at the same levels as 2023 & 2024; and
2. To enable refunds on a pro rata basis of certain fees paid in excess of the amended rates for the remainder of 2025.

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Under its statutory powers, including section 14 of the *Victoria City Act, 1919*, and sections 8(3), 19, 35, 36, 38, 154 and 194 of the *Community Charter*, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria in an open meeting assembled enacts the following provisions:

Title

- 1 This Bylaw may be cited as the “Patio Regulation Bylaw, Amendment Bylaw (No. 4)”.

Amendments

- 2 The Patio Regulation Bylaw No. 23-035 is amended at Schedule B as follows:
 - (a) By deleting the Area Rate Tables and replacing them with the Area Rate Tables set out below:

2023 to 2026

Fee Area	Simple		Complex	
	Annual	Seasonal	Annual	Seasonal
1	\$4.07	\$2.03	\$5.78	\$2.89
2	\$3.88	\$1.94	\$5.52	\$2.76
3	\$3.20	\$1.60	\$4.52	\$2.26
4	\$2.75	\$1.37	\$3.90	\$1.95
5	\$1.96	\$0.98	\$2.78	\$1.39

2027 and Subsequent Years

Fee Area	Simple		Complex	
	Annual	Seasonal	Annual	Seasonal
1	\$8.13	\$4.07	\$11.55	\$5.78
2	\$7.76	\$3.88	\$11.03	\$5.52
3	\$6.39	\$3.20	\$9.04	\$4.52
4	\$5.49	\$2.75	\$7.80	\$3.90
5	\$3.91	\$1.96	\$5.55	\$2.78

Transition Provision

- 3** The Director of Finance may issue a refund to any licensee who has paid its applicable licence fees under Schedule B for the 2025 year as follows:
- (a) In relation to an annual licence, in the amount of 71 % of the difference between applicable rate as set out in the repealed “2025 and Subsequent Years Table” and the applicable rate as set out in the “2025 and Subsequent Years Table” included at section 2 of this bylaw;
 - (b) In relation to a seasonal licence, 92% of the difference between the applicable rate as set out in the repealed “2025 and Subsequent Years Table” and the applicable rate as set out in the “2025 and Subsequent Years Table” included at section 2 of this bylaw.

Repeal of Transition Provision

- 4** Section 3 of this Bylaw is repealed.

Commencement

- 5** This Bylaw comes into force on adoption, except section 4, which comes into force on December 31, 2025.

READ A FIRST TIME the	10th	day of	APRIL	2025
READ A SECOND TIME the	10th	day of	APRIL	2025
READ A THIRD TIME the	10th	day of	APRIL	2025
ADOPTED on the		day of		2025

CITY CLERK

MAYOR