

## **CONSOLIDATION OF MUNICIPAL SERVICE BYLAWS**

BYLAWS 287 - 288 – 299 - 308

MUNICIPAL SERVICE RATES AND STANDARDS

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## **MUNICIPAL SERVICE RATES**

A Bylaw of the Municipal Corporation of the Hamlet of Fort Liard in the Northwest Territories to establish and levy charges for municipal services provided, pursuant to the provisions of the Hamlets

Act, R.S.N.W.T., 2003, c. 22, s.60.

WHEREAS, the Hamlet of Fort Liard needs to establish rates to be charged for municipal services provided by the Municipal Corporation;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE HAMLET OF FORT LIARD, at a duly assembled meeting, enacts as follows:

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## **TITLE**

1. Consolidation of "Municipal Service Rates Bylaws 287 and 299"

## **INTERPRETATION**

2. In this Bylaw:

"Approved Meter" means a water meter used to measure the quantity of water

provided and approved by the Senior Administrative Officer;

"CIBC" means the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce;

"Economic Rate" means the economic rate for the municipal service;

"Garbage" means solid waste material excluding industrial waste and dangerous

goods:

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"Hamlet" means the Hamlet of Fort Liard, Northwest Territories;

"Mayor" means the Mayor of the Hamlet of Fort Liard;

"Municipal Service Area" means the area {Schedule I") within the Hamlet of Fort Liard that are provided with municipal services as provided by this bylaw.

"Premises" means the real property, owned, leased, used, or occupied by the user:

"Rates" means the charges for municipal services provided;

"Schedule" means a schedule attached and forming part of this Bylaw;

"Security Deposit" means money given or paid to the Hamlet by a customer to be held by the Hamlet as security against the nonpayment of charges for services provided;

"Senior" means a user who has attained the age of sixty-five (65) years;

"Services" means municipal services provided;

"Subsidized Rate" means a subsidized rate for a specific municipal service;

"Truck Meter" means a water meter designed or used to measure the amount of water pumped from the delivery vehicle to the user's intake port; and,

"User" means any recipient of municipal services classified in accordance with

the schedules attached to and forming part of this bylaw.

#### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- 3. Charges for the specified municipal services shall be levied in accordance with schedules attached to and forming part of this bylaw.
- 4. Charges for service shall be calculated at the appropriate user rate for scheduled service.
- 5. All charges for service are due and payable upon receipt of an invoice.
- 6. Charges are considered to have been paid when the payment has been received at the office of the Hamlet or an electronic payment has been at the designated CIBC Hamlet account as shown on the face of the invoice. Payments will be applied consecutively to invoice in order of their due date starting with oldest.
- 7. Before the discontinuance of the service to any premise(s), reasonable efforts shall be made to serve written notice to the occupant of such premises as to the reason for the discontinuance of service, the date when the service is to be disconnected, and what action may be taken to avoid discontinuance of service.
- 8. After a customer has been disconnected for nonpayment; pursuant to section 7, for more than five (5) working days the account will be considered inactive and the customer will be required to make application to have the account reinstated as per sections 11-13.
- 9. On receipt, by the Senior Administrative Officer, of a written request for discontinuance of service from the occupant of any premise(s), the service to such premises shall be discontinued and a notice of discontinuance shall be sent to the occupant and to the owner of the premise(s) indicating the date of the discontinuance and the conditions for reinstatement of service.

10. Payments and penalties for overdue accounts will be administered pursuant to the "*Financial Administration Bylaw*" and any subsequent amendments.

## **REQUEST FOR SERVICE/SUBSIDIES**

- 11. Applications for service must be made by completing a "Customer Service Order".
- 12. A Payment Security Deposit; in accordance with the schedule attached and forming part of this bylaw, must be paid in full when requesting services.
- 13. Service will not be provided until the Hamlet has verified that the system complies with the "Water/Sewage Service Standards Bylaw".
- 14. The first delivery for a new or reconnecting customer will be provided the day after compliance as per section 12 is verified. Following deliveries will made as per the schedule for the customer's location.
- 15. Senior Subsidies will only be applied upon application and proof of age. The subsidy will then be applied on the month following the application.
- 16. Requests for the discontinuance of services will be effective the day following the request. The user will be responsible for all charges for services provided up and to the effective date of discontinuance.

## **EFFECTIVE DATE**

Sections 1 through 16 effective January 01, 2021. Schedules effective as indicated.

## **REPEAL**

Bylaws 280 and 283 are repealed.

## SCHEDULE "A" CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021

COMMERCIAL USER means a user principally engaged in the business of selling retail goods

and services, but does not include industrial users;

GOVERNMENT USER means the Government of Canada, the Government of the Northwest

Territories, Crown Corporations, the Northwest Territories Housing and Power Corporations, Public Housing Associations, the Hamlet, and any

agencies of the above-mentioned government bodies which use

municipal services;

INDUSTRIAL USER means a user principally engaged in the business of resource exploration,

development or processing, manufacturing or processing products, marine, air or long-distance land transportation, but does not include

commercial or government users;

RESIDENTIAL USER means a user who owns or occupies residential premises not including

public housing:

RETAIL USER means a user principally engaged in the business of the sale of retail

goods.

## SCHEDULE "B" QUANTITIES FOR UNMETERED TRUCK SERVICE Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021

PREMISE	MONTHLY CONSUMPTION
No pressure system	1,500 litres per unit
Single Family	15,000 litres per unit
Single Family [conservation]	6,000 litres per unit
Apartment	12,000 litres per unit
Hotel Room with kitchenette	12,000 litres per unit
Laundromat	30,000 litres per machine
All others	10,000 litres per washroom

- Per washroom means per separate washroom or per two toilets or urinals where a washroom has more than two toilets or urinals with a minimum of one per premise.
- 2) A water conservation residence means any residence with toilets that require no more than three litres of water.
- 3) Where only sewage service is provided this schedule will be used for monthly volumes.

## SCHEDULE "C" SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR USERS IN THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE AREA Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021

## WATER DELIVERY

Water will be delivered to each user on a schedule of alternate days that provides service to a maximum of five days out of ten. Does not apply to users outside the "Municipal Service Area".

## **SEWAGE PUMP OUT**

Users sewage will be pumped out commensurate with water consumption to a maximum of pump out of five days out of ten. Does not apply to users outside the "Municipal Service Area".

## GARBAGE PICKUP

Users garbage will be picked up on a schedule of once per week. Does not apply to users outside the "Municipal Service Area".

No services will be provided on New Years Day or Christmas Day. Services normally provided on these days will be provided on an alternate day.

## USERS OUTSIDE THE MUNICIPAL SERVICE AREA

Users outside the "<u>Municipal Service Area</u>" [Schedule I] will receive a maximum of two water deliveries per week, two sewage pump outs per week, and one garbage pickup per week,

Users will be required to sign a Municipal Service Agreement to this effect prior to the commencement of services.

## SCHEDULE "D" GARBAGE PICKUP DISPOSAL RATES Bylaw 299 – Effective April 1, 2021

## 1. ECONOMIC RATE

The Economic Rate is

- \$ 35.00 per month for domestic garbage containers at curb side.
- \$ 45.00 per month/container for commercial garbage in hamlet supplied dumpster.
- \$ 55.00 per month/container for retail garbage in hamlet supplied dumpster.

## 2. RATES PAYABLE

- (1) The rates payable by all customers for garbage pickup and disposal shall be the Economic Rate specified in Section 1, except as provided in subsections (2) and (3).
- (2) Subsidies for garbage pickup and disposal are as follows:

  Residential Senior \$ 35.00
- (3) Rates for bulk waste\* disposal during normal business hours are payable as follows:
  - \$ 20.00 per cubic meter when sorted by type.
  - \$ 75.00 per cubic meter unsorted

## 3. MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE

A minimum of one month shall be charged for service provided for the month or part thereof.

\* Residential waste only – disposal of industrial waste and hazardous waste is not allowed.

# SCHEDULE "E" ADDITIONAL SERVICE RATES Bylaw 308 – Effective December 01, 2021

- 1. The Hamlet of Fort Liard provides scheduled water delivery and sewage pump with no limits to volume each service day. Customers are required to have systems with adequate capacity. (Reference 'Municipal Standards Bylaw')
- 2. Additional service will be provided at the sole discretion of the Hamlet and is dependant on the availability of staff. Services may not be provided to facilities that do not conform to the "Municipal Standards Bylaw"
- 3. Additional service will only be provided to customers whose accounts are in good standing.
- 4. Additional service must have prior approval of the customer responsible for the account.
- 5. Additional service will only be provided after regularly scheduled services are completed and the fee charged will be calculated when the service is provided.
- 6. Additional services will not be provided outside the "Municipal Service Area".
- 7. Additional services fees will not apply for customers requiring Additional service after cleaning their water tanks providing that arrangements for the service have been made in advance and the service can be provided during normal delivery times.
- 8. No subsidies are provided for this service.

## FEES FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICES (IN ADDITION TO COST FOR SERVICE)

## Water Delivery

Between 8 am and 5 pm Monday to Friday	\$ 100.00
Between 5 pm and 10 pm Monday to Friday	\$ 250.00
Between 8 am and 8 pm Saturday, Sundays & Holidays	\$ 400.00

## **Sewage Pump Out**

Between 8 am and 5 pm Monday to Friday	\$ 100.00
Between 5 pm and 7 pm Monday to Friday	\$ 250.00
Between 8 am and 7pm Saturday, Sundays & Holidays	\$ 400.00

## Emergency Additional Services will be provided for the cost of the service to -

Fort Liard Health Center
Fort Liard RCMP Detachment
Fort Liard Emergency Response and Evacuation Centers
Fort Liard Communicable Disease Housing
Fire Scene

## SCHEDULE "F" POTABLE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE PUMP OUT SERVICES RATES Bylaw 299 – Effective April 1, 2021

## 1. ECONOMIC RATE

1) The Economic Rate for water sewage service is \$ .0175 per litre.

## 2. ADDITIONAL COSTS

1) Users outside the "<u>Municipal Service Area"</u> shall be charged a milage rate of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month in addition to the rate specified in section 1.

## 3. VOLUME CALCULATION

- 1) The quantity of water will be shown by an approved meter or a truck meter.
- 2) Where no approved meter or truck meter is in use quantity shall be following the "<u>Approved Quantities for Unmetered Truck Service</u>."
- 3) All volumes referred to in 1,2, and 3 shall be expressed in metric units of volume.

## 4. RATES PAYABLE

- 1) The rates payable by all customers for municipal services shall be the Economic Rate specified in section 1 and 2 except as provided in subsections (2) and (3).
- 2) Subsidies for water and sewage services are as follows:

Residential 70% of economic rate per litre up to 14,999 litres.

50% of economic rate per liters 15,000 to 16,999 litres.

Maximum 17,000 liters per month - added quantities will be billed at full economic rate.

Residential Senior 100% of economic rate per litre

Maximum 10,000 liters per month - added quantities will be billed at full economic rate.

- 3) To be eligible for a subsidy
  - i.the customer must be receiving service at a residence within the "<u>Municipal Service</u> <u>Area</u>" [Schedule I]
  - ii.the customer system must conform to standards as set out in <u>"Water and Sewage</u> Services Standards Bylaw" effective when service commences.

## 5. BULK SERVICES

- 1) For bulk water supply not supplied or delivered to premises the water charge shall be \$0.010 per litre.
- 2) For bulk sewage disposal not picked up at the premises the sewage charge for disposal in the lagoon shall be \$0.02 per litre when disposal is completed during normal hours of operation.

## 6. MINIMUM MONTHLY CHARGE

- 1) The minimum monthly charge for each user receiving water/sewage services within the "<u>Municipal Service Area"</u> shall be \$15.00 per month.
- 2) The minimum monthly charge for each user receiving water/sewage services outside the "Municipal Service Area" shall be \$100.00 per month.

## SCHEDULE "G" SNOW CLEARING SERVICE RATES Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021

## 1. SNOW CLEARING

## **Residential Customers:**

Residential users; upon request, may have their driveways cleared for a flat rate of \$100.00. Service will be dependent upon the availability of hamlet equipment at the hamlet's convenience.

- (1) The hamlet not responsible for damage
  - (a) to items in driveways hidden by snow;
  - (b) to the surface of the driveway;
  - (c) to sidewalks; and,
  - (d) to landscaping including flowers and trees.
- (2) Charges will be added to municipal services invoice.
- (3) Snow will not be removed from customer's yard.
- (4) The hamlet will not be responsible for discontinuance of service when access points are inaccessible.
- (5) Residential Senior users will receive a 100% subsidy for this service.
- (6) Snow clearing services are not provided to Users outside the "Municipal Service Area".

## SCHEDULE "H" MUNICIPAL SERVICE PAYMENT SECURITY Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021

## 1. PAYMENT SECURITY DEPOSIT

A customer making application for the provision of municipal services shall pay to the Hamlet a security deposit for each service in the amount of:

(a) Commercial Accounts \$500.00

(b) Industrial Accounts an amount for the average of two months service costs but not less

than \$1,000.00

(c) Residential Domestic \$100.00

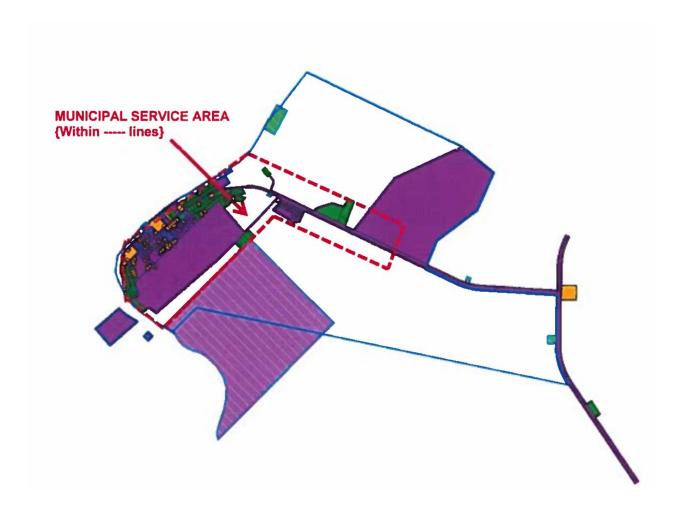
(d) User outside Service Area \$200.00

The security deposit must be paid in full before service will be implemented.

The Hamlet shall pay interest on the security deposit for the period held, calculated at the current savings rate paid by the CIBC when the deposit is returned to the customer.

That the security deposit and accrued interest shall be returned to a customer in good standing within ten (10) days of the closure of the account.

# SCHEDULE "I" MUNICIPAL SERVICE AREA Bylaw 287 – Effective January 1, 2021



## **MUNICIPAL SERVICE STANDARDS**

A Bylaw of the Hamlet of Fort Liard in the Northwest Territories to regulate the design and installation of water supply and sewage disposal systems owned and operated by persons other than the municipal corporation pursuant to the provision of the Hamlets Act, R.S.N.W.T., 2003, c. H-1, s. 60 and 61.

WHEREAS the Hamlet of Fort Liard deems it necessary to provide criterial for when services will be discontinued or refused.

WHEREAS the Hamlet of Fort Liard deems it necessary to set terms and conditions applicable to users.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE HAMLET OF FORT LIARD, at a duly assembled meeting, enacts as follows;

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## **TITLE**

1. Consolidation of "Municipal Service Standards Bylaw 288".

## **INTERPRETATION**

2. In this Bylaw:

"Building Facility" means a fixed building structure used for commercial, government, industrial, non-profit, and residential purposes;

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"Council" means the council of the Hamlet;

"Hamlet" means the Hamlet of Fort Liard in the Northwest Territories;

"Municipal Services" includes the supply of potable water and the removal and disposal of sewage and garbage by, and on behalf of the Hamlet;

"Owner" means the person who owns the real property;

"Premises" means the real property owned, used, or occupied by a user;

"SAO" means the Senior Administrative Officer of the Hamlet;

"Schedule" means a schedule established for the provision of municipal services; and,

"User" means any government, industrial, commercial, non-profit, or residential user of the municipal services.

## TRUCKED WATER AND SEWER STANDARDS FOR SERVICE

- 3. Code Requirements
  - a. All trucked water service systems shall meet the standards of the National Building and Plumbing Code and other municipal bylaws.
- 4. Installation of Trucked Service Building Facilities
  - a. All trucked service building facilities shall be installed by, and at the cost of; the owner and shall remain the property of the owner.
- 5. Maintain, Repair and Thawing of trucked Service Building Facilities
  - a. Every owner shall maintain his trucked service building facilities in proper order and free from leakage or wastage.
  - b. The Hamlet may in the case of an emergency, repair any trucked service building facilities and the cost of such repair work shall be levied on the owner.
- 6. Specifications, Design Approval and Inspection or Trucked Service Building Facilities
  - a. No trucked service building facilities shall be installed except in accordance with this Bylaw.
  - b. Design plans for trucked service building facilities, which have four (4) or more water closets, showers, or other high-volume fixtures shall be:
    - i. certified by a Professional Engineer, and
    - ii. submitted to the Hamlet and
    - iii. approved prior to the commencement of construction.
  - c. One set of 'as built' plans shall be provided when required by the Hamlet within sixty (60) days of completion of trucked service building facilities.
- 7. Correction to Nonconforming Trucked Service Building Facilities
  - a. Where in the opinion of the Hamlet, existing trucked service building facilities are being operated in contravention of this Bylaw the Hamlet shall issue an order to the owner of the trucked service building facilities:
    - i. specifying the way, the owner is contravening the Bylaw and
    - ii. directing the owner to comply with the Bylaw, and
    - iii. specifying the actions to be performed by the owner to comply with the Bylaw, and
    - iv. notifying the owner of the time and date by which such action is required to be taken.

## 8. Number of Trucked Service Building Facilities

- a. No premises shall be supplied with trucked service to more than one water tank and one sewage tank except upon submission of plans for the approval of the Hamlet.
- b. The Hamlet may allow trucked service to a separate water tank or sewage tank for self-contained units on properties.

## 9. Access to Trucked Service Building Facilities

- a. The user shall maintain, at his own expense unimpeded access to the water fill point and sewage pump out point, which shall terminate within two (2) meters of the public roadway, including the removal of ice, snow, water, mud, vehicles, flower beds, pets and vard material.
- b. Where the water fill point or sewage pump out point are not accessible, the Hamlet shall cause a notice to be left at the premises and the Hamlet office, indicating the time and reason trucked service could not be provided and the corrective measures required before trucked service will be resumed.
- c. Failure to allow or maintain access shall in addition to the discontinuance of service cause the owner to be levied the cost of one direct return trip by the Hamlet.
- d. Failure of any systems shall in addition to the immediate discontinuance of service cause the owner or occupant to the levied the cost of cleanup.

## 10. Services Provided from Highway 7 and the Liard Access Road

- a. Users are required to provide maintained turn around space so that the service vehicles do not have to back out onto NWT Highway 7 or the Liard Access Road.
- b. Brush must be cleared so that drivers have an unobstructed view of the highway when exiting.
- c. Gates cannot be closed or locked.
- d. Services will be discontinued is the User fails to provide and maintain unimpeded access.

## TRUCKED WATER SYSTEM STANDARDS

## 11. Standards

- a. The water fill point shall not exceed 20 feet or 6 meters from the access and must extend from the wall facing the access. The fill point must be secured tightly to the building. The owner or occupant of fill points more than 20 feet or 6 meters must obtain written approval from the Hamlet.
- b. The exterior piping, and the fill point is to be of metal construction suitable for potable water supply and have a satisfactory corrosion resistance. Fill points must be fitted with a male 2" (50mm) cam lock fitting that connects to the truck fill hose outlet.
- c. The water fill point shall be greater than five feet or 1.5 meters in a horizontal distance from the sewage pump-out point straight line access path.
- d. The water fill point shall be of sufficiently small diameter that the sewage pump-out hose cannot be inserted.
- e. The water fill point shall always be clearly labeled.

## 12. Tank Size

- a. The water holding tank shall be a minimum of 500 Imperial gallons or 2270 liters in size for dwelling of three bedrooms or less. Larger sized dwelling shall add an additional 800 liters or 175 Imperial gallons per additional bedroom for tank sizing.
- b. Owners of nonresidential building are required to size of water tanks based on "<u>Canadian Architectural Standards</u>", for the expected water consumption, and a
- c. water delivery period of four (4) days. Tank volume calculations, and design details are to be submitted to the Hamlet for approval.

## 13. Freeze Protection

- a. The water holding tank shall be housed in an insulated heated portion of the building or have adequate freeze protection installed.
- b. Structural support of the water holding tank shall be sufficient to support one and one-half times the weight of a full water tank.

## 14. Line and Tank Specifications

- a. The connection point of the water fill point shall be a minimum of 36" or 914 millimeters and a maximum of 48" or 1,219 millimeters from the ground surface in all seasons.
- b. The water service line shall have a back grade such that the water does not free flow from the tank or sit in the service line, or the water service line shall have a check valve to prevent free flow and a heat tape to prevent freezing.
- c. All tanks must have an overflow discharge pipe. The overflow discharge point shall be installed at the same height as the fill point, a minimum of 12 inches or 305 millimeters in horizontal distance from the flit point. The overflow discharge point shall not exceed 6 feet or 1.5 meters in horizontal distance from the fill point. The discharge point must remain unobstructed from the view of the truck fill operator during the fill procedure.
- d. A red bulb or red globe "full" indicator light shall be connected to a device in the tank and installed near the fill position such that it is visible from the cab of the delivery truck. The indicator light support shall allow for the adequate clearance of the water truck. The red-light indicator must be on separate circuit and is to illuminate when the take is full the indicator light is to be weatherproof, and suitable for use during the seasons. The user is responsible for replacing bulbs and maintaining the indicator light system as his own expense.
- e. If the water holding tank is elevated, a check valve with adequate freeze protection shall be installed at the line-tank connection point to prevent back flow.
- f. Tanks must not have open lids, nor be a type with open top. If tanks are in basements, lids must be fastened or sealed to the tank to prevent flooding. The Hamlet will be no liable for any flooding due to unfastened or inadequately sealed lids, or tank penetrations.
- g. The user is responsible for all aspects of operation and maintenance of water storage and fill system. The Hamlet will not be liable for any expenses related to the integrity or performance of the truck fill system. Where the truck fill operator discovered the water storage or fill system are non-functional, the Hamlet. shall cause a notice to be left at the premises and the Hamlet offices, indicating the time and reason trucked service could not be provided and the corrective measures required before trucked service will be resumed.
- h. All overflow and water fill lines shall be insulated with a foil back covered insulation a minimum one- and one-half inches (1.5") or thirty-eight millimeters (38 mm) and six (6) feet or one point eight meters (1.8 m) in from the point of penetration of the exterior building envelope.

## TRUCKED SEWAGE SYSTEM STANDARDS

## 15. Standards

- a. The sewage pump-out point must be no greater than 4.6 meters or 15 feet from the service vehicle access.
- b. There shall be a minimum of five horizontal feet or 152 centimeters between the connection point for sewage pump-out and the fill point for water such that a crossing of established pathways by connection hose shall not occur.

- c. The sewage pump-out connection fitting shall consist of a 3" (75 mm) female cam locks suitable for use with the pump-out truck adapter on the truck hose. The fitting will be of greater diameter than that of the water fill point such that a cross-connection cannot be made.
- d. The sewage holding tank shall be twice the volume of the water storage tank to accommodate sewage and grey water discharge.
- e. Overflow septic fields, exhilaration pits, or vertical culverts buried in the ground are not permitted after April 1, 2000. Systems installed and operational prior to this date must meet standards for freeze protection, capacity, and truck connections specifications as outlined in this Bylaw.
- f. The sewage holding tank shall be a minimum of 1,000 imperial gallons or 4,550 liters for new development, or twice the water tank size (whichever is greater).

## 16. Structure

a. Structural support of the sewage holding tank shall be sufficient to support one and one-half times the weight of a full sewage holding tank.

## 17. Freeze Protection

a. The sewage holding tank shall be of a suitable material as approved by the Hamlet, shall be well insulated and kept within the heated portion of the building or otherwise heated using heating coils or circulating hot water such that the formation of ice is prevented. The approved heating system and storage tank location shall be approved by the Hamlet, such that buried holding tanks do not create a stability hazard in areas of permafrost.

## 18. Line and Tank Specifications

- a. The service pump-out points shall be kept a minimum of 18 inches or 457 millimeters and a maximum of 48 inches or 1,219 millimeters from the ground. Including snow and ice accumulations.
- b. The service pump-out point pipe, and cam lock adapter shall end with a 90-degree elbow and be constructed of an approved material that does not include plastic, or PVC. Galvanized steel or iron are the preferred materials. No other fitting for sewage storage system shall be of plastic, or PVC material.
- c. The service pump-out shall always be fitted with an approved tightly fitting cap and kept closed except during pump-out.
- d. The sewage holding tank shall have a large watertight manhole with a removable cover such that the owner or occupant may clean and flush the tank. The Hamlet is authorized to direct that a sewage holding tank shall be cleaned and flushed.
- e. The pump-out line from the service point to the tank shall have at least a 5 degree slope to the building such that no sewage is allowed to stand in the line or drain to the outside of the building and the line within the holding tank shall not exceed a grade of 30 degrees.
- f. The sewage holding tank shall incorporate a vent line of a minimum interior diameter of inches or 75 millimeters such that tank is vented to the outside of the building or back vented to the highest interior point in the building such that air escape or supply will occur as the tank is being filled or emptied.
- g. The pipe from the sewage pump-out service point to the sewage holding tank shall have an interior diameter of a minimum of 4 inches or 100 millimeters or reduced to 3 inches (75 mm) when the developed length of the sewage pump out is greater than 25' (7.6 m).
- h. If the holding tank is buried, the ground cover shall be sloped such that surface liquids, including run-off or sewage, drain away from the tank, and anchored to concrete pads or pinned to bedrock to prevent floating to the surface.

- i. All holding tanks shall incorporate a blue high-level indicator light where required by the Hamlet A high-level switch must be wired in such a way as to cut the power supply to the domestic water pump in the event of a full sewage tank.
- j. When the storage tank elevation is one (1) meter or greater above the road level a valve shall be installed at the point of connection to the sewage pump-out line to prevent a continuous siphon condition.
- k. All sewage pump-out lines shall be rigidly secured or anchored at the point of connection and further to this all lines more than three (3 m) in developed length shall be anchored every three meters (3 m). Buried lines do not require anchors excepts at the point of connection.
- I. The use of chemical toilets and outhouses shall be prohibited.

## **GARBAGE PICKUP SERVICE STANDARDS**

- 19. All waste must be placed in proper garbage containers with handles and lids (max. 100 litres), or in a standard plastic garbage bag. Garbage must not accumulate on your property.
- 20. Collector's access to the garbage collection site must not be blocked.

## **APPLICATION FOR SERVICE**

- 21. All persons requiring Trucked Water and Sewage Service make application and complete a "Customer Service Order" prior to the provision of service. Sufficient time; a minimum of three days, should be allowed for the inspection of facilities to confirm compliance to this Bylaw.
- 22. No Trucked Water and Sewage Services will be provided until compliance with this Bylaw is confirmed.

#### LIABILITY

23. No liability will be assumed by the Hamlet for damage caused or disruption in service when systems are in non-compliance with this Bylaw.

## **REPRESENTATION**

24. For the purposes of this Bylaw the Hamlet shall be represented by the Senior Administrative Officer or other qualified staff member of the Hamlet designated by the S.A.O.

#### **EFFECTIVE DATE**

Effective January 01, 2021.

#### **REPEAL**

Bylaw 133 is repealed.