

BYLAW 6260

A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF LETHBRIDGE TO AMEND
BYLAW 3250 – THE SEWERAGE SERVICE CHARGE BYLAW
OF THE CITY OF LETHBRIDGE

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LETHBRIDGE, IN THE PROVINCE OF
ALBERTA, DULY ASSEMBLED, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Bylaw 3250 – the Sewerage Service Charge Bylaw of the City of Lethbridge is hereby amended.
2. Bylaw 3250 is amended by deleting the present Section 3.10 (a) and inserting in its place the following new Section 3.10 (a).
 - “(a) The City shall establish for each customer in this class a winter average sewage discharge volume. The average sewage discharge volume shall be determined by averaging the water usage figures as recorded on the five monthly utility statements that were billed with meter reading dates of November 15th to April 14th inclusive. For the purpose of this calculation, all monthly water usage figures of less than 3 cubic meters shall be replaced with 3 cubic meters prior to averaging.”
3. Bylaw 3250 is amended by deleting the present Section 3.12 and inserting in its place the following new Section 3.12
 - “3.12 New domestic customers contracting water services shall be assigned an initial monthly winter average discharge volume of 13 cubic meters.”
4. Bylaw 3250 is amended by deleting the present Section 11.01 inserting in its place the following new Section 11.01:
 - “11.01 The City shall provide sewer service inspection and clearing to all customers connected to the City sanitary sewer system, subject to the customer furnishing the City an accessible clean-out. Subject Section 11.02, such sewer service inspection and clearing shall be provided for the fees specified in Schedule “C” of the Bylaw.”

5. Bylaw 3250 is amended by inserting the following new Section 11.02:

"11.02 If a blockage occurs and is caused by a structural defect in the public portion of the sanitary sewer system, the City shall remedy the defect at the City's expense. Further, the City shall not charge the customer the fees associated with the service inspection and clearing as specified in Schedule "C" of the Bylaw."

6. Bylaw 3250 is amended by inserting the following new Section 11.03:

"11.03 If a blockage occurs within the private portion of the sanitary sewer service, the City of Lethbridge shall advise the owner of the property as to the nature of the defect and notify the owner to remedy the defect at the owner's expense. Should another blockage occur at the location of the previously identified defect, the City shall charge the owner a Defective Service Call-Back Surcharge in addition to the associated inspection and clearing fees specified in Schedule "C" of the Bylaw."

7. Bylaw 3250 is amended by replacing both instances of '5 cubic metres' in Schedule "B" with '3 cubic metres.'

8. Bylaw 3250 is amended by deleting the present Miscellaneous Sewage Fees section in Schedule "C" and inserting in its place the following new Miscellaneous Sewage Fees:

"Miscellaneous Sewage Fees"

Industrial solid or semi-solid wastes dumping charge	\$ 19.50/m3
Sewer Service Inspection Only (no Clearing) callout or booked 8:00am to 6:00pm	\$ 30.00
Scheduled Sewer Service Inspection and Clearing booked 8:00am to 6:00pm	\$ 60.00
Sewer Service Inspection and Clearing callout 8:00am to 6:00pm	\$ 90.00
Sewer Service Inspection and Clearing callout 6:00pm to 8:00am	\$ 150.00
Defective Service Call-Back Surcharge	\$ 150.00

Disconnection or capping sewer service
connection for abandonment

\$ 150.00 plus labour
and materials at cost"

9. This Bylaw shall come into force and effect on the 1st day of March, 2021.

READ A FIRST TIME this this 12th day of January, A.D. 2021
C. A. Spence Bonnie L. Hepler
MAYOR CITY CLERK

READ A SECOND TIME this 26 day of January, A.D. 2021
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READ A THIRD TIME this 26 day of January, A.D. 2021
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