

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER



COMMERCIAL TOWING BYLAW NO. 6507, 1998

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 21, 1998

CONSOLIDATED FOR CONVENIENCE ONLY
(November 6, 2007)

This is a consolidation of the bylaws listed below. The amendment bylaws have been combined with the original bylaw for convenience only. This consolidation is not a legal document. Certified copies of the original bylaws should be consulted for all interpretations and applications of the bylaws on this subject.

<u>AMENDMENT BYLAW</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
6517	February 8, 1999
6627	August 28, 2000
6700	November 26, 2001
6788	Dec. 16, 2002 (eff Jan 1/03)
7012 (Sch A,B & Sec3)	August 22, 2005
7196 (Sch B)	November 5, 2007

The bylaw numbers highlighted in this consolidation refer to the bylaws that amended the principal Bylaw No. 6507, 1998. The number of any amending bylaw that has been repealed is not referred to in this consolidation.

Obtainable from the City Clerk's Office

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BYLAW NO. 6507, 1998

(A Bylaw to authorize the Corporation of the City of New Westminster to carry on a commercial towing operation)

WHEREAS Council is authorized by Section 176 of the Municipal Act R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 323 to:

- (a) engage in commercial, industrial and business undertakings on any terms and conditions it considers appropriate;
- (b) delegate its powers, duties and functions to its officers and employees; and
- (c) exercise those powers outside the boundaries of the City.

THE CITY COUNCIL of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster in open meeting assembled HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "Commercial Towing Bylaw No. 6507, 1998".
2. The Corporation of the City of New Westminster is authorized to commence and engage in the operation of a commercial towing business to provide towing and storage services for:
 - (a) the removal of abandoned, damaged and other inoperative motor vehicles from City streets in respect of accidents, breakdowns and other such incidences of improper, accidental or unlawful use of public highways and other public places; and
 - (b) the towing of abandoned, damaged and inoperative vehicles to storage and repair locations located both inside and outside the boundaries of the City.

BYLAW NO. 7012, 2005

3. The Corporation of the City of New Westminster is further authorized to charge the fees prescribed herein as set out in Schedule "A" and "B" attached to and forming part of this Bylaw for providing the towing and storage services specified therein or, where applicable, to charge the fees prescribed by the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia or other

competent government authority for providing other specified towing services.

4. The Manager, Engineering Operations, is authorized to undertake all necessary steps and obtain all required licenses, permits and approvals so as to commence and maintain the operation of the commercial towing business in good standing with all regulating authorities.

(7012, 2005)

**SCHEDULE "A" OF BYLAW
COMMERCIAL TOWING BYLAW 6507, 1998**

"For towing services related to incidents covered by the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia rates are structured to reflect ICBC standards + 10% administration fee".

(7196, 2007)

**SCHEDULE "B" OF BYLAW
COMMERCIAL TOWING BYLAW 6507, 1998**

FLAT TOWING RATE FOR VEHICLE (Plus Applicable Taxes)

Up to 2,800 kg GVW	\$ 62.07
Over 2,801 kg GVW up to 10,900 kg	\$ 71.50
- Special mobile vehicles. Over 6,800 kg GVW	At
hourly rate	
- Additional fee for each use of dolly or trailer	\$ 20.00
- Service calls (unlocks, battery boost, etc...)	\$ 35.00

REMOVAL OF OPERATING PARTS (to affect towing) (Flat rate per vehicle)

Drive Shaft	\$ 20.00
Single Axle	\$ 20.00
Tandem Axle	\$ 40.00

HOURLY RATES FOR EACH UNIT OF EQUIPMENT USED

One Ton Wrecker	\$ 30.00
Two Ton Wrecker	\$ 35.00
Three Ton Wrecker	\$ 60.00

STORAGE RATES PER VEHICLE

Automobile Daily Rate	\$ 10.00
Truck Daily Rate	\$ 12.00
Motorcycle Daily Rate	\$ 6.00
Utility Trailer (same as automobile)	\$ 10.00
Charge for out of City Boundary Tow – per km	\$ 2.00

ADMINISTRATIVE FEE

Release fee for any vehicle

\$ 30.00

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