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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

BYLAW NO. 6027, 1991

A Bylaw for the regulation of traffic and the use of streets and other areas in the City of New Westminster

THE CITY COUNCIL of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

100. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "Street Traffic Bylaw No. 6027, 1991".

**PART I
DEFINITIONS**

200. In this bylaw:

"**boulevard**" means the area between the **curbs**, lateral lines, or the shoulder of a **street** and the adjacent property line and includes a **sidewalk**;

"**bus zone**" means a space on a **street** marked by a sign or signs designating it as a space provided for buses to **stop** for the purpose only of loading or unloading passengers and shall include all areas with similar designations such as "bus stops";

"**Bylaw Enforcement Officer**" means a person appointed by the New Westminster Police Board to enforce municipal bylaws;

"**Chief Constable**" means the person duly appointed for the time being as Chief Constable of the **City** and includes any **Peace Officer** acting in the Chief Constable's stead;

"**Chief License Inspector**" means the City's License Inspector appointed from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Act and includes any acting or assistant license inspector or designate;

"**City**" means the area of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster;

"**City Engineer**" means the person duly appointed for the time being as **City Engineer** of the **City** and includes any person appointed by **Council** by resolution or under this bylaw as set forth in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw;

"**commercial trailer**" means a **trailer** but does not include a **recreational trailer** or a **trailer** having a gross vehicle weight of less than 700 kilograms;

"**commercial vehicle**" means a **vehicle** which is a commercial vehicle defined as such and licensed under the Commercial Transportation Act, R.S.B.C. 1979, c.55 and any **vehicle** not so licensed but which is used for the collection or delivery, or both, of goods, wares, merchandise, or other commodity in the ordinary course of a business undertaking, and displaying a valid decal or plate issued by a municipality for the purpose of identifying a commercial vehicle;

"**commercial vehicle loading zone**" means an area on a **street** designated for the loading or unloading of goods or merchandise, for the exclusive use of **commercial vehicles**;

BYLAW NO. 6185, 1994

"**construction vehicle**" means a **commercial vehicle** that is at any time used to deliver construction materials or equipment, or do construction work;

"**container**" means a receptacle used to store materials, objects or refuse;

"**Council**" means the Municipal Council of the **City**;

"**crosswalk**" means:

- (a) a portion of the **street** at an **intersection** or elsewhere distinctly indicated for pedestrian crossing by signs or by lines or other markings on the surface; or
- (b) the portion of a **street** at an **intersection** that is included within the connection of the lateral lines of the **sidewalks** on the opposite sides of the **street**, or within the extension of the lateral lines of the **sidewalk** on one side of the **street**, measured from the **curbs**, or in the absence of **curbs**, from the edges of the **street**;

"**curb**" means that portion of any **boulevard** that borders on the **street**;

"**cycle**" means a device having any number of wheels that is propelled by human power and on which a person may ride;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**day-use visitor parking permit**" means a **parking permit** issued under the authority of the **City Engineer** to a **resident** in respect of their address for use on a single day by **visitors** or **residents**;

BYLAW NO. 7293, 2008

"**derelict vehicle**" means a motor vehicle that is not capable of being driven in its current mechanical condition or is partially dismantled or under repair.

"**emergency vehicle**" means:

- (a) a **motor vehicle** carrying rescue or first aid equipment where there is an emergency justifying a rate of speed in excess of any maximum rate of speed provided for in the Motor Vehicle Act;
- (b) a **motor vehicle** driven by a member of a fire department in the discharge of that member's duties; or
- (c) a **motor vehicle** driven by a **Peace Officer**, constable or member of the police branch of Her Majesty's Armed Forces in the discharge of that person's duties;

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

"**Fees and Rates Bylaw**" means the current City Fees and Rates Bylaw No. 7553, 2013 as amended by Council from time to time.

"**handicapped**" means a person whose mobility is limited as a result of a permanent or temporary disability that makes it impossible or difficult to walk;

"**handicap zone**" means a parking zone identified by the disabled parking sign;

BYLAW NO. 7261, 2008

"**idle**" means the operation of the engine of a vehicle while the vehicle is not in motion and "idling" has a corresponding meaning.

"**intersection**" means the area embraced within the prolongation or connection of the lateral **curb** lines, or if none, then the lateral boundary lines of the shoulders of the 2 **streets** which join one another

at or approximately at right angles, or the area within which **vehicles** traveling on different **streets** joining at any other angle may come in conflict;

"**lane**" means any **street** not exceeding 6 metres (20 feet) in width;

"**loading zone**" means an area on a **street** designated for the loading or unloading of persons, goods or merchandise;

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

"**median**" means that area or portion of roadway that separates traffic flow by means of painted pavement markings, raised concrete or asphalt or brick or cobblestone or grassed divider".

"**meter**" means any automatic or other mechanical device placed on any **street** to measure and record the duration of parking;

BYLAW NO. 7261, 2008

"**Mobile Workshop**" means

- (i) a vehicle containing equipment that must be operated inside or in association with the vehicle; or
- (ii) a vehicle serving as a facility for taking measurements or making observations or conducting maintenance or construction operated by or on behalf of a municipality, public utility or police, fire or emergency service.

"**motor vehicle**" means a **vehicle**, not run on rails, that is designed to be self-propelled or propelled by electric power obtained from overhead trolley wires;

BYLAW NO. 7440, 2011

"**Neighbourhood Zero Emission Vehicle**" means a vehicle that travels on 4 wheels and is powered by an electric motor that is designed to allow the vehicle to attain a speed of 32 kilometers per hour but not more than 40 kilometers per hour in a distance of 1.6 kilometers on a paved level surface, and which:

- (1) meets or exceeds standards of the *Motor Vehicle Safety Act* (Canada) for a low-speed vehicle and bears a compliance label for a low-speed vehicle in accordance with that Act; or
- (2) if imported to Canada, has been imported as an admissible low-speed vehicle in accordance with the *Motor Vehicle Safety Act* (Canada) requirements; and

- (a) bears a compliance label for a low-speed vehicle in accordance with that Act; or
- (b) meets applicable federal United States laws in accordance with the *Motor Vehicle Safety Act* (Canada).

"**parade**" means any procession or body of pedestrians, except members of the Armed Forces, numbering more than 30, standing, marching or walking on any **street** or **sidewalk**, or any group of **vehicles** numbering ten or more, except funeral processions, standing or moving on any **street**;

"**park**" means the standing of a **vehicle**, whether occupied or not, upon a **street** except when the **vehicle** is standing temporarily for the purpose of and while actually used for loading or unloading of the **vehicle**;

BYLAW NO. 7140, 2006

"**Parking Lot**" means a portion of City-owned land set aside, used or intended to be used for the **parking** of **vehicles** in consideration of the payment of parking charges.

"**Parking Patrol Officer**" means the person appointed by **Council** to enforce parking regulations under this bylaw or otherwise;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**parking permit**" means a permit issued under the authority of the **City Engineer** for the purposes of parking a **vehicle** longer than the posted time limit or parking in a **resident parking only zone**;

"**passenger loading zone**" means a portion of a **street** set aside adjacent to a **curb** designated for the exclusive use of **vehicles** for the loading or unloading of passengers;

Bylaw No.7458, 2011

"**pay parking station**" means a device operated and maintained by or on behalf of the **City** for collecting parking fees for parking in, and controlling the use of **pay parking zones**.

Bylaw No.7458, 2011

"**pay parking zone**" means a **street(s)** or a portion of a **street(s)** designated as such under this bylaw where parking is permitted subject to payment of a fee at a **pay parking station**.

"**Peace Officer**" means a Police Officer, Police Constable, or other person employed for the preservation and maintenance of the public peace;

"**recreational vehicle**" means a **motor vehicle** or **trailer** designed or used primarily for accommodation during travel or recreation;

"**resident**" means a person who resides in the City of New Westminster;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**resident parking only zone**" means a portion of a **street** in a residential neighbourhood where a **traffic control device** restricts parking to **residents** only;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**resident parking permit**" means a **parking permit** issued on an annual basis under the authority of the **City Engineer** to a **resident** in respect of a specific **vehicle** registered to that resident's home address;

"**sidewalk**" means that portion of the **boulevard** improved for the use of pedestrians;

"**stop**" means:

- (a) when required, a complete cessation from movement;
- (b) when prohibited, the stopping or standing of a **vehicle** temporarily for the purpose of and while actually used for the loading or unloading of a **vehicle**, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other **traffic** or to comply with the directions of a **Peace Officer** or **traffic control device**;

"**street**" includes every highway within the meaning of the Highway Act and every roadway, street, lane, or highway designed for or intended for the general public for the passage of **vehicles** and every other place to which the public has access including a City-owned parking lot;

"**street occupancy permit**" means a permit issued under the authority of the **City Engineer** to allow for the unusual use of a **street** or **boulevard**;

"**traffic**" includes pedestrians, ridden or herded animals, **vehicles**, **cycles** and other conveyances, either singly or together, while using a **street** to travel;

BYLAW NO. 7458, 2011

"**traffic control device**" means a sign, signal, line, meter, pay parking station, marking, barrier or device, placed or erected by authority of the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure, the **Council** of the **City**, the **City Engineer** or a person authorized by any of the mentioned to exercise that authority.

"**trailer**" means a **vehicle** without motor power designed to be drawn by or used in conjunction with a **motor vehicle** but does not include an implement of husbandry or a side car attached to a motorcycle;

"**vehicle**" means a device in, on or by which a person or thing is or may be transported or drawn on a **street**, except a device designed to be moved by human power or used exclusively on stationary rails or tracks;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**visitor**" means a person primarily engaged in an activity at the home of a **resident**;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

"**visitor parking permit**" means a **parking permit** issued on an annual basis under the authority of the **City Engineer** to a **resident** in respect of their address, for use by **visitors** or **residents**.

DELEGATION OF POWERS

General Powers of the City Engineer

300.

300.1 The **City Engineer**, according to provisions set forth in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw, is hereby authorized to make orders in respect of the matters comprised in this bylaw, and thereby to exercise the powers of the **Council** under this bylaw, subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter provided by this bylaw.

300.2 The **City Engineer**, according to provisions set forth in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw, is hereby authorized to rescind, revoke, amend or vary any order made by the **City Engineer**, subject to such terms and conditions as are hereinafter provided by this bylaw.

Power to Order the Erection of Traffic Control Devices

301. The **City Engineer** is hereby authorized to locate, establish and maintain upon any **street** or **boulevard** such **traffic control devices** as may be deemed necessary for the regulation, direction and control of **traffic** on any **street** or **boulevard**.

Power to Temporarily Close Streets and Issue Street Occupancy Permits

302.

302.1 The **City Engineer** is authorized at his discretion to temporarily close or to issue a **street occupancy permit** to any applicant to temporarily occupy a specific portion of any **street**, other than as permitted by a sign or a **meters**, for any of the following purposes:

302.1.1 construction or maintenance or both of any **street** or **boulevard**, or anything ancillary to any of them;

302.1.2 installation, maintenance or removal of utilities;

302.1.3 construction of buildings on abutting properties if, in the opinion of the **City Engineer**, such closure or occupation or both is desirable to facilitate such construction or is necessary to protect the public during such construction;

- 302.1.4 a **parade** subject to the conditions specified in Section 505.4 of this bylaw;
- 302.1.5 a festival, block party, or activity connected with the production of a film requiring that **traffic** be restricted on or diverted from a **street**; or
- 302.1.6 temporary parking of construction **vehicles**, unattached **trailers** and **containers** on a **street**.

Bylaw No. 7070, 2006

- 302.1.7 use or parking of a vehicle or vehicles for activity connected with a particular event or project that, for reasons of safety or security, as stated in writing by the City Engineer or Chief Constable, requires temporary reservation of a parking zone under Section 305 in a specified location.
- 302.2 The **City Engineer** will determine the requirements which must be fulfilled before a **street occupancy permit** is issued.

Bylaw No. 7582, 2013

- 302.3 Street occupancy permit fees are set out in the Fees and Rates Bylaw.

Power to Restrict Use of Streets

- 303. The **City Engineer** may determine, with respect to any particular **street** where construction, reconstruction, widening, repair, or other work is being carried out or is to be carried out:
 - 303.1 that **vehicles** in excess of a certain width, length, height, or weight, driven or operated on such **street** would damage the **street**, and that use of the **street** be limited to **vehicles** less than a designated width, length, height or weight; or
 - 303.2 that all vehicular use of the **street** ought to be prohibited where, in the **City Engineer's** opinion, **traffic** should be prohibited in the vicinity of the work in the interests of public safety.

Power to Order the Placement of Portable "No Parking" Signs

304.

304.1 The **City Engineer** may order:

304.1.1 the placing of portable "no parking" signs at **curbs** at times and places designated by the **City Engineer**; or

304.1.2 the return of portable "no parking" signs for repair, replacement or return.

304.2 The placing of portable "no parking" signs does not affect other previous lawful occupancy of the **street**.

Power to Designate Handicapped and Reserved Parking Zones

305. The **City Engineer** is empowered to reserve parking zones for the **handicapped**, buses, taxis, **commercial vehicles** or other types of **vehicles**, for use by persons other than the general public.

Powers of Peace Officers, Bylaw Enforcement Officers, and Parking Patrol Officers

306.

306.1 Any **Peace Officer** or **Bylaw Enforcement Officer** of the **City** may cause to be removed and stored, any **vehicle** parked on any **street** or any other public statutory right of way.

306.2 **Council** hereby authorizes any **Peace Officer** or **Bylaw Enforcement Officer** of the **City** to determine whether a **vehicle** has been abandoned and, if that **Peace Officer** or **Bylaw Enforcement Officer** is satisfied that a **vehicle** has been abandoned, the **Peace Officer** or **Bylaw Enforcement Officer** may cause the **vehicle** to be removed and disposed of pursuant to the Highways Scenic Improvement Act R.S.B.C. 1979, c. 169.

BYLAW NO. 7140, 2006

306.3 **Council** hereby authorizes any **Parking Patrol Officer**, **Bylaw Enforcement Officer**, or **Peace Officer** to issue bylaw offense notices on any **vehicle** parked or stopped in contravention of this bylaw "or being operated on a **street** not forming part of a truck route in violation of Section 601.1 or 601.2 of this Bylaw".

306.4 **Council** hereby authorizes any **Bylaw Enforcement Officer** to issue bylaw offense notices to individuals committing an offense under Part III of this bylaw.

306.5 **Council** hereby authorizes any **Peace Officer** to issue bylaw offense notices to individuals committing any offense under this bylaw.

Powers of Council

307.

307.1 The **Council** may provide for the placing of **traffic control devices** and the establishment of school crossings in such a place and shall so advise the **City Engineer**, who shall cause the placing or erection of the necessary **traffic control device**.

PART II STOPPING AND PARKING OF VEHICLES

Parking Prohibitions

400. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with **traffic** or to comply with the law or the directions of a **Peace Officer, Bylaw Enforcement Officer, Parking Patrol Officer** or **traffic control device**, no person shall:

- 400.1 **park** a **motor vehicle** upon any **street** for any continuous period exceeding 72 hours without movement unless that person is a **resident**;
- 400.2 **park** a **vehicle** over night in any **City** owned parking lot set out in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw;
- 400.3 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** in contravention of a **traffic control device**;

Bylaw No.7458, 2011

- 400.4 having parked a **vehicle** in any **City** block controlled by a parking time limit regulation, cause that **vehicle** to be moved from one location to another in the same block to avoid time limit regulations specified in that particular block. Moving a **vehicle** from one parking location directly to another in the same street block does not interrupt the continuity of time of parking for application of the time regulations specified in this bylaw;
- 400.5 fail to remove the parked **vehicle** described in Section 400.4 to a place other than in the block in which it had been parked, after the parking time limit regulating that block has expired;
- 400.6 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on a **street** so that it impedes the normal flow of **traffic**;
- 400.7 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on a **street** so as to obstruct the free movement of **vehicles** into, or out of, any driveway or private road or garage adjoining such **street**;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 400.8 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on a **street** within 1.5 metres (5 feet) of either side of a public or private driveway;

- 400.9 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** in front of a public or private driveway;
- 400.10 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** in an **intersection** except as permitted by a **traffic control device**;
- 400.11 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on the side of any **street** that abuts a median that divides a **street**;
- 400.12 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** within:
- 400.12.1 2 metres (6 feet) of the nearest edge of the closest **sidewalk** on an intersecting **street**; or
 - 400.12.2 6 metres (20 feet) of the nearest edge of the pavement on an intersecting **street** where no **sidewalk** exists;
- whichever is the greater distance from the nearest edge of the pavement.
- 400.13 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** within 6 metres (20 feet) of the approach side of a **crosswalk**;
- 400.14 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on a **crosswalk**;
- 400.15 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** having a licensed gross vehicle weight of over 4,600 kilograms (10,000 pounds), except a **recreational vehicle**, on any **street** for more than two consecutive hours;
- 400.16 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** having a licensed gross vehicle weight of over 13,600 kilograms (30,000 pounds):
- 400.16.1 on any **street** except when the person is parking the **vehicle** to deliver or pick up goods, merchandise or other things;
 - 400.16.2 on any **street** which forms part of a truck route, as described in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw, for more than two consecutive hours, except when the **vehicle** is delivering or picking up goods, merchandise or other things;
- 400.17 abandon any **vehicle** upon a **street**;

- 400.18 **park** a **vehicle** within 5 metres (15 feet) of a fire hydrant measured from a point on the **curb** or edge of **street** which is closest to the fire hydrant;
- 400.19 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** within 15 metres (49 feet) of the nearest rail of a railway crossing;
- 400.20 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on a **boulevard**;
- 400.21 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** within 6 meters (20 feet) on the approach to a stop sign; or

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 400.22 **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** on any portion of a **street** for a longer period of time than indicated on any **traffic control device** which applies.

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

- 400.23 **stop** or **park** a **motor vehicle** or **trailer** on a **street** without displaying on it, the number plates issued for the current license year of that **motor vehicle** or **trailer**,

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

- 400.24 **stop** or **park** a **motor vehicle** or **trailer** on a **median**.

BYLAW NO. 7140, 2006

- 400.25 **park** or leave a **vehicle** on a **parking lot** without complying with the instructions on the ticket dispensing machine or meter at the **parking lot** or beyond the time period for which parking charges have been paid.

BYLAW NO. 7293, 2008

- 400.26 **park** a **recreation vehicle** on any **street** for a period longer than twenty-four (24) consecutive hours, except with permit;

BYLAW NO. 7293, 2008

- 400.27 **park** a **derelict vehicle** on any **street** for a period longer than twenty-four (24) consecutive hours.

Stopping in Bus Zones

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

401. Except for **vehicles** used for public transit, no person shall:

- 401.1 **park a vehicle** in a **bus zone**;
- 401.2 **stop a vehicle** in a **bus zone** for a period exceeding 5 minutes, or in a manner that would obstruct public transit vehicles.

Parking in Loading Zones

402. No person shall **stop** or **park a vehicle**:

- 402.1 in any **loading zone** except for the purpose of loading or unloading persons, goods, merchandise or other things;
- 402.2 in any **loading zone** for a period exceeding three minutes for the loading or unloading of persons only, or for a period exceeding 30 minutes for the loading or unloading of goods or merchandise;

BYLAW NO. 7317, 2009

- 402.3 in any **commercial vehicle loading zone**, unless the **vehicle** bears a valid commercial decal or plate and is engaged in the loading or unloading of goods, merchandise or other things;

BYLAW NO. 7317, 2009

- 402.3.1 in any **commercial vehicle loading zone** for longer than 30 minutes at any one time
- 402.4 in a **passenger loading zone** except for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers but in no case longer than three minutes at any one time.

Parking in Reserved and Taxi Zones

403.

403.1 Notwithstanding the establishment of reserved parking zones pursuant to Section 305, a person stopping or parking in such a reserved parking zone shall comply with the requirements of this bylaw and of signs or other **traffic control devices** regulating the stopping or parking of **vehicles**.

403.2 No person shall **park** a **vehicle**, which is not a taxicab, in a Taxi Zone.

403.3 No person, being the owner or operator of a taxicab, shall leave a taxicab unattended in a Taxi Zone for longer than ten minutes.

Parking in Fire Lanes

404. No person shall **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** within a designated Fire lane.

Parking In Handicapped Zones

405. No person shall **park** a **vehicle** in a **handicap zone** unless:

405.1 the **vehicle** displays a valid disabled parking permit issued by the Social Planning and Research Council of B.C.; or

405.2 a **motor vehicle** with an out of Province license is bearing a valid identification issued by its resident jurisdiction to identify it as a **vehicle** driven by or transporting a **handicapped** person.

BYLAW NO. 6658, 2001

Parking in Special Zones or Parking in Zones Reserved for Residents

406. No person shall **park** on any portion of a **street** where **traffic** signs are erected reserving a portion of that **street** for the parking of residents or any class of **vehicle** described on the **traffic** sign unless that **vehicle** conforms to the class of **vehicle** depicted on the sign or displays a valid residential parking permit for the designated area.

Manner of Parking

407.

407.1 Where parking spaces have been marked on any **street** for parallel parking, no person shall **park** any **vehicle** otherwise than between the lines or markings indicating the limits of a single parking space, except in the case of a **vehicle** being of greater length than that of a single parking space, but in no case shall a **vehicle** occupy or encroach upon more than two parking spaces.

407.2 No person shall **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** other than parallel to the **curb** on a **street**, except where signs or markings indicate that angle parking is permitted, in which case the **vehicle** shall be parked at the angle to the **curb** indicated by such signs or markings, and parallel to and between such markings and as close to the **curb** as practicable, but in no case greater than 30 centimetres from the **curb**.

407.3 Where parallel parking is permitted, **vehicles** shall be parked with wheels nearest the **boulevard** positioned parallel to the **street**, and where there is a **curb**, within 30 centimetres (12 inches) of the **curb**.

407.4 No person shall **park** a **vehicle** in such a manner that any part of the **vehicle** shall extend into the **street** beyond the lines or markings indicating the limit of the parking spaces on that section of the **street**.

407.5 A person shall **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** only on the right side of the **street** except where travel is permitted in a single direction and only provided all other parking prohibitions are complied with.

407.6 Where angle parking is permitted, no person shall reverse a **vehicle** into any parking space unless otherwise permitted by a **traffic control device**.

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

407.7 Where parking is permitted on a one-way street, a person shall **stop** or **park** a vehicle only in the direction of travel permitted by the **traffic control device**.

Parking Meters

408.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 408.1 When a **meter** is in effect, no person shall permit any **vehicle** to remain in the metered parking space when the **meter** indicates that the time has expired.
- 408.2 No person shall **park** any **vehicle** in a **metered** parking space for a longer period than the longest period established on the **meter**, whenever the **meter** is in effect.
- 408.3 The days and hours of operation of parking **meters** shall be as specified on the parking **meter**.

BYLAW NO. 7287, 2008

- 408.4 No person shall park a vehicle in a metered space without immediately depositing in the parking meter installed for such space the fee for parking at the rate set out in Schedule "9" and in the manner indicated on the parking meter

Bylaw No.7458, 2011

- "408.5 A person who parks in a **pay parking zone** must immediately pay the parking fee for that **pay parking zone** and the desired time at a **pay parking station** in the zone by any method indicated in the instructions on the **pay parking station**."
- "408.6 No person shall park a **vehicle** within a **pay parking zone** for any longer than the amount of time purchased for that vehicle."
- "408.7 Despite any amount paid, no person shall park a **vehicle** within a **pay parking zone** for any longer than the period of time for which parking is lawfully permitted as specified on the **pay parking station** and **pay parking zone** signs, whenever the **pay parking zone** is in effect."
- "408.8 The hours of operation of **pay parking zones** shall be as specified on the **pay parking station and pay parking zone** signs."

- “408.9 Every **pay parking station** record which indicates that the period for which the prescribed fee has been paid for the parking of a vehicle in a **pay parking zone** has expired shall be taken as conclusive evidence that the vehicle found parked **pay parking zone** is illegally parked and in breach of the provisions of this Bylaw.

Trailer Parking

BYLAW NO. 7317, 2009

- 409 No person shall place or **park** an unattached **trailer** or **container** on a **street** without a valid **street occupancy permit**. A trailer is considered to be attached if connected to a **motor vehicle** as per the Motor Vehicle Act Regulations, Division 7, Paragraph 7.07

Commercial Trailer and Container Parking

410.

- 410.1 No person, being the owner or operator of a **commercial trailer** or any other **container**, shall place or **park** such **commercial trailer** or **container** on any **street** if such **trailer** or **container** is not attached to a **vehicle** and capable of being pushed or drawn at all times, without first obtaining a **street occupancy permit** issued by the **City Engineer** setting out the terms and conditions upon which the permit is issued.

- 410.2 The **City Engineer** is hereby authorized to issue **street occupancy permits** for the stopping, parking or placing of **commercial trailers** and **containers** on any **street** for the purpose of loading, unloading or storing the contents thereof during the time the **commercial trailer** or **container** is so used whether it is attached to a **motor vehicle** or not; provided that all safety requirements of the **City Engineer** including barricades, lights and blocking of the **commercial trailer**, where necessary, are provided and maintained by the permit holder at the permit holder's own sole expense during the whole of the permit period.

- 410.3 No person, being the owner or operator of a **commercial trailer** shall **park** such a **commercial trailer** when it is attached to a **vehicle** on any **street** not identified as a truck route, or for more than two consecutive hours on any **street** identified as a truck route in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw, subject to any restrictions set forth in the Schedule, except when the **vehicle** is delivering or picking up goods, merchandise or other things.

410.4 No person shall **park** or place a **container** on any **street** unless it is identified with the owner's name and for which a valid **street occupancy permit** has been issued.

Vehicles as Living Quarters

411. No person shall occupy a **vehicle** as living quarters while it is parked upon any **street** or in any other public place.

Vehicles Exempt from Parking Regulations

412. Notwithstanding anything elsewhere contained in this bylaw, the provisions relating to stopping or parking of **vehicles** shall not apply to **emergency vehicles**.

413. Notwithstanding anything elsewhere contained in this bylaw, the provisions relating to stopping or parking of **vehicles** shall not apply to:

413.1 **vehicles** used in conjunction with the servicing of public utilities including telephone systems, electric systems, natural gas systems and cablevision systems;

413.2 municipal and other Government **vehicles**;

413.3 towing service **vehicles**; or

413.4 armored carriers;

while such **vehicles** are actually engaged in works of necessity on a **street** requiring them to be stopped or parked. This exemption does not relieve the drivers of such **vehicles** from taking due precautions to indicate the presence of such **vehicles** on the **street** while so parked or stopped.

414. Unless directed by a **Peace Officer**, the provisions relating to stopping or parking of **vehicles** shall not apply to a **vehicle** for which a valid **street occupancy permit** has been issued granting an exemption from a specific parking or stopping regulation and where the **street occupancy permit** is appropriately displayed.

Parking Permit Programs

415. Regulations

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

415.1 A **parking permit** does not allow a person to **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** in contravention of a parking or stopping prohibition.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 415.2 No person shall **park** a **vehicle** in a **resident parking only zone** unless the **vehicle** displays a valid **resident parking permit** or **visitor parking permit**.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 415.3 In those blocks and areas of the City indicated in Schedule 3, Schedule 3.1, Schedule 3.2 and Schedule 3.3 where a **traffic control device** limits the time of parking, **vehicles** having displayed in the proper manner a valid **parking permit** may remain parked longer than the posted parking time.

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

- 415.4 The fee to be paid by an applicant for a **parking permit** is set out in the Fees and Rates Bylaw.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 415.5 The **City Engineer** may determine the form of **parking permits**, signs and decals.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 415.6 A **resident parking permit** is not transferable between **vehicles**.

416. Eligibility for Parking Permits

General

416.1 The only persons eligible to obtain **parking permits** are:

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

416.1.1 the **residents** of real property fronting a **street** where a **resident parking only zone** exists;

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

416.1.2 the **residents** of real property fronting a residential street where a **traffic control device** limits the time of parking in that block;

BYLAW NO .6133, 1993

416.1.3 the **residents** of real property fronting a **street** where parking has been prohibited and a **resident parking only zone** exists on the opposite side of the **street**; or

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

416.1.4 the **residents** of real property fronting a residential street where parking has been prohibited and a **traffic control device** on the opposite side of the **street** limits the time of parking.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

416.2 When a **resident** has complied with Section 416.3, or 416.4 or 416.5 below, the **Chief License Inspector** may issue to the **resident** the **parking permit(s)** applied for.

Eligibility for Resident Parking Permits

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

416.3 A **resident** of a block or area indicated in Schedule 3, Schedule 3.1, Schedule 3.2 or Schedule 3.3 may make application for a **resident parking permit** in respect of a specific **vehicle**, and for renewal or replacement of it by:

416.3.1 completing the application supplied by the **Chief License Inspector**; and

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- 416.3.2 making payment of an initial, replacement, or renewal administration fee as specified in the Fees and Rates Bylaw.
- 416.3.3 producing to the **Chief License Inspector** the valid **vehicle** registration for the **vehicle** to which the **resident parking permit** is to be affixed, which shows the address of the applicant which address must comply with Section 416.1.

Eligibility for Visitor Parking Permits**BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993**

- 416.4 A **resident** of a block or area indicated in Schedule 3, Schedule 3.1, Schedule 3.2 or Schedule 3.3 may make application for ONE **visitor parking permit** in respect of an address, and for renewal but not replacement of it by:

- 416.4.1 completing the application supplied by the **Chief License Inspector**; and

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- 416.4.2 making payment of an initial or renewal administration fee as specified in the Fees and Rates Bylaw; and
- 416.4.3 producing to the **Chief License Inspector** documents which show the address of the applicant, which address must comply with Section 416.1.

Eligibility for Day-Use Visitor Parking Permits**BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993**

- 416.5 A **resident** of a block or area indicated in Schedule 3, Schedule 3.1, Schedule 3.2 or Schedule 3.3 may make application for the purchase of **day-use visitor parking permits** in respect of an address by:

- 416.5.1 completing the application supplied by the **Chief License Inspector**; and

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

- 416.5.2 making payment as specified in the Fees and Rates Bylaw.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 416.6 The combined yearly allotment of purchased **day-use visitor parking permits** for **residents** residing at the same address will be 30.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 416.7 The purchase of additional **day-use visitor parking permits** may be approved by the **Chief License Inspector** if the **Chief License Inspector** is satisfied that the previously issued **day-use visitor parking permits** have been used in accordance with this bylaw.

417. Conditions and Display of Parking Permits

BYLAW NO. 6133 ,1993

- 417.1 A **parking permit** shall be prominently displayed so that it is visible through the front windshield.
- 417.2 All **resident parking permits** and **visitor parking permits** expire on midnight of March 31 every year.
- 417.3 **Day-use visitor parking permits:**
 - 417.3.1 must display the current date to be valid. Date must be written in pen or ink only;
 - 417.3.2 are not re-useable;
 - 417.3.3. are void if misused, illegible or displayed improperly.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 417.4 **Parking permits** issued by the **City** must not be resold.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 417.5 **Resident parking permits** displaying a block number and street name are valid for parking in a **resident parking only zone** and in excess of the posted time limit on **streets** in proximity to the block number and street name shown on the **parking permit**.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 417.6 **Visitor parking permits** displaying an address are valid for parking in a **resident parking only zone** and in excess of the posted time limit on **streets** in proximity to the address shown on the **parking permit**.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 417.7 **Day-use visitor parking permits** displaying an address are only valid for parking in excess of the posted time limit on **streets** in proximity to the address shown on the **parking permit**.

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993

- 417.8 **Parking permits** displaying either an Area C, Area S, or Area W decal are valid for parking in a **resident parking only zone** in their respective areas and for parking in excess of the posted time limit on **streets** within their respective areas. **Streets** included in the areas defined by Area C, Area S, or Area W are identified by **traffic control devices** that regulate parking.

418. Idling**BYLAW NO. 7261, 2008**

- 418 No person shall cause or permit a vehicle to idle for more than three (3) minutes in a sixty-minute period.

Section 418 does not apply to:

- a A mobile workshop while such a vehicle is being used as a mobile workshop
- b Police, fire, ambulance or other emergency vehicles while engaged in emergency activities, including training activities,
- c Vehicles for which idling is required as part of a repair or regular pre-check maintenance process.
- d Armoured vehicles in which a person remains inside the vehicle while guarding the contents of the vehicle or while the vehicle is being loaded or unloaded.
- e Vehicles required to remain motionless because of an emergency, traffic or mechanical difficulties over which the driver has no control.
- f Vehicles engaged in a parade or race or any other event authorized by the City of New Westminster.

- g Vehicles required to use heating or refrigeration systems powered by the motor or engine for the preservation of perishable cargo.
- h Vehicles for which weather conditions:
 - a. make driving hazardous (e.g. foggy windshields, torrential rain); or
 - b. are such that the ambient outside temperature is more than 30°C or less than 0°C.

PART III USE OF STREETS

Pedestrians

500. No person or persons shall stand or assemble on any **street** or **sidewalk** so as to obstruct or prevent other persons from using the **street** or **sidewalk** for the passage of **motor vehicles** or pedestrians.

Bylaw No. 6999, 2005

500.1

Jaywalking

Within any commercial zoning district, as prescribed by the City's Zoning Bylaw, or within 100 meters of any public transit station, no person shall cross a **street** at any place other than at, upon or along a **crosswalk** and, where an **intersection** contains a signalized or marked **crosswalk**, the signalized or marked **crosswalk** must be used.

Regulation of Cycles

501.

501.1 Unless the context otherwise requires, a person operating a **cycle** on a **street** has all the rights and is subject to all the duties that any **vehicle** operator has under this bylaw.

501.2 A person operating a **cycle** on any **sidewalk**, footpath, or walkway in the **City** shall operate the **cycle** only in such a way that it will not interfere with a pedestrian lawfully on or using said **sidewalk**, footpath or walkway.

501.3 No person on a **cycle** shall operate the **cycle** on any **sidewalk**, footpath or walkway set out in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw.

Regulation of Roller Skates and Skateboards

502.

502.1 No person on roller skates, skateboards or other similar means of transportation other than a **motor vehicle**, shall be upon any **street** except while crossing such **street** in a **crosswalk**.

502.2 No person on roller skates, skateboards or other similar means of transportation, shall be upon any **sidewalk**, footpath or

walkway set out in a Schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw.

502.3 A person on roller skates, skateboards or other similar means of transportation, shall ride in such a way that it will not interfere with a pedestrian lawfully on or using a **sidewalk**, footpath or walkway.

Chattels On Streets or Boulevards

503.

503.1 Except as specifically authorized by a resolution of **Council** or by bylaw, no person acting in the course of that person's business, shall place or cause or permit to be placed by any person in their employ or under their control, any fuel, merchandise, chattel or wares of any nature on any **street** or **boulevard**, or to conduct business from a **vehicle** parked on any **street**.

503.2 The **City Engineer** may seize any merchandise, **vehicle**, fuel, chattel or wares of any nature found to be unlawfully occupying a portion of a **street**, **boulevard** or public place and may cause such object to be removed, detained and impounded.

Displaying Advertising Matter

504. No person shall:

504.1 paint, paste, stick or affix any sign, bill, notice, substance or thing on any street furniture, light standard, electric light, telephone or other pole located on or about any **street** or **boulevard**, and no person shall deface or disfigure such street furniture, light standard, electric light, telephone or other pole located on or about any **street** or **boulevard**, or permit, suffer or allow any person to commit the acts on their behalf; or

504.2 **park** a **vehicle** upon any **street** for the purpose of displaying signs.

Parades and Processions

505.

505.1 No person shall be a member of, or take part in, any **parade** unless:

- 505.1.1 the **parade** is under the direction or control of some person or organizer; and
- 505.1.2 a letter of consent for such a **parade** has been issued to the organizer by the **Chief Constable** as hereinafter provided and is accompanied by a **street occupancy permit** issued by the **City Engineer**.
- 505.2 In giving consent to a **parade**, the **Chief Constable** may determine such conditions as deemed appropriate for the orderly regulation of the **parade** and may require the applicant to publish whatever notices of the **parade** as in the opinion of the **Chief Constable** are necessary for the purpose of the diversion of **traffic** from route thereof.
- 505.3 No person or persons shall hold a **parade** unless an application for a **street occupancy permit** has been approved by the **City Engineer** at least 72 hours prior to the commencement of the **parade**.
- 505.4 The **City Engineer** shall not approve an application for a **street occupancy permit** for a **parade** unless it is accompanied by:
- 505.4.1 a letter of consent from the **Chief Constable**;
- 505.4.2 a map of the **parade** route; and
- 505.4.3 an explanation of the nature of the **parade**, the day and hour on which such **parade** is to be held, the place or places of formation and disbandment thereof.
- 505.5 Any **street occupancy permit** issued under this Section shall be void and of no effect unless the applicant obeys the terms and conditions therein.
- 505.6 No person shall drive a **vehicle** through or across any **parade** at rest or in motion, or in any other way obstruct, impede or interfere with any person lawfully taking part in such **parade**.

Removal of Snow, Ice and Rubbish From Sidewalk

506. A person being the owner or occupier of real property shall remove snow, ice, and rubbish from any **sidewalk** and foot path bordering that person's real property and from the roof and other part of a structure adjacent to or abutting on any portion of the **street**, not later than 10:00 a.m. of the day after the snow, ice or rubbish was deposited thereon.

Depositing Materials on Streets or Boulevards

507. No person shall fail to remove from a **street** or **boulevard** any material deposited thereon when so ordered by the **City Engineer**.

Boulevards

508. An owner of land shall:

508.1 cut grass and weeds on the **boulevard** abutting that owner's property; and

508.2 keep in good repair and up to **City** standards, driveways crossing the **boulevard** abutting that owner's property.

Condition of Driveways

509. The **City Engineer** is hereby empowered to require an owner of property with an unpaved or deteriorated driveway, to pay for the cost of paving or re-constructing that driveway if, in the **City Engineer's** opinion, such driveway is a hazard or a nuisance, and upon being so notified, the owner shall forward the required payment within 30 days.

Repairing Vehicles

510. No person shall **stop** or **park** any **vehicle** on any **street** for the purpose of greasing or repairing such **vehicle** except repairs necessitated by an emergency.

Vegetation Adjacent to Streets and Boulevards

511. No person being the owner or occupier of real property adjacent to a **street** or **boulevard** shall permit a tree, shrub, hedge or bush growing or standing on that land to:

511.1 become injurious to the **street** or **boulevard** or any works owned or controlled by the **City** located in the **street** or **boulevard**;

511.2 encroach on or over any portion of the **street** or **boulevard** to the detriment of the safety or convenience of the public;

511.3 remain at a height greater than 1 metre (3 feet) above the established elevation of the center point of an **intersection** of **streets**, at or within a distance of 4.5 metres (15 feet) from the corner of the **intersection** of the **streets** nearest the land; or

511.4 encroach on or over a **street** at a height less than 3 meters above the surface of the **street**.

Objects or Work on Streets

512. Except as authorized by a **street occupancy permit** issued by the **City Engineer** pursuant to Section 302 of this bylaw, no person shall:
- 512.1 build, construct, place or maintain, or cause to be built, constructed, placed or maintained in, upon, or over any **street** or **boulevard**, any structure, sign, building, fence, or thing, other than a temporary hoarding during construction work on adjacent property, or plant any tree, shrub or plant other than grass upon any **boulevard**;
 - 512.2 break, tear up, remove, or otherwise interfere with any **sidewalk, curb** or surfacing of any **street**, or excavate any **street**, or excavate under any **street**, cut down or remove trees or timber growing on a **boulevard**;
 - 512.3 construct a **boulevard** crossing, including a **curb**, ditch or **sidewalk** crossing;
 - 512.4 change the level of a **street** whatsoever, or stop the flow of water through any drain, sewer or culvert on or through a **street**;
 - 512.5 open-up, construct or develop any **street** or **boulevard**, or improve any **street** or **boulevard** or do works of any kind on any street allowance dedicated for public use by any plan, bylaw of the **City** or by notice in the Gazette and under the jurisdiction and control of the **City**; or
 - 512.6 obstruct or interfere with the free flow of **traffic** or attempt to control or detour **traffic** on any **street**, whether by use of signs or flagmen or by barricades or other physical obstruction on the **street** provided that this Section shall not apply to:
 - 512.6.1 a **Peace Officer** acting in the normal course of his duties;
 - 512.6.2 a school patrol acting under the authority of the Public Schools Act or authorized by the **Chief Constable**; or
 - 512.6.3 vehicles exempted under Sections 413 and 414 of this bylaw.

513. The **City Engineer** is hereby authorized to remove any structure, object, substance or thing found on any **street** or **boulevard** in contravention of this Section and the costs incurred may be recovered by action in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Street Occupancy Permits

514.

514.1 No person shall **stop** or **park** a **vehicle** or **container** upon any **street** in contravention of a **traffic control device**, except **emergency vehicles** and **vehicles** exempted under Section 413 of this bylaw, or **vehicles** with valid **street occupancy permits** temporarily occupying a portion of any **street**.

514.2 The **City Engineer** may determine such conditions as deemed appropriate for the safe and orderly regulation of **traffic** and may require the applicant to provide flag persons or erect hoarding, barriers, warning devices, or other devices as deemed necessary.

514.3 The **City Engineer** may not approve an application for a **street occupancy permit** unless it is accompanied by:

514.3.1 a copy of the applicants liability insurance;

514.3.2 payment of a damage deposit against any damage to **City** property; and

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

514.3.3 payment of a license fee as set out in the Fees and Rates Bylaw.

514.4 Any **street occupancy permit** issued under this Section shall be void and of no effect unless the applicant obeys the terms and conditions therein.

BYLAW NO. 6185, 1994**PART IV
REGULATIONS CONCERNING DIMENSIONS OF VEHICLES****Vehicles Restricted to Travel on Truck Routes**

600. No person shall, without an oversize and overweight permit, drive or operate on a **street** a **vehicle** in violation of any of the height, width, or weight limits set forth in the Commercial Transport Act and its Regulations which requirements are set out in Schedule 8, or the Motor Vehicle Act.
601. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 600, no person shall, without an oversize and overweight permit, drive or operate on a **street** not forming part of a truck route as described in Schedule 5, a **vehicle**:
- 601.1 being a **commercial vehicle**, having a licensed gross vehicle weight of over 13,600 kilograms (30,000 lbs.); or
- 601.2 having an overall length inclusive of load in excess of 10.6 metres (35 feet), or combination of **vehicles** having an overall length inclusive of load in excess of 12.2 metres (40 feet) unless:
- 601.2.1 that **vehicle** is delivering or picking up goods, merchandise or other things to or from a residence or business premise in the **City** and is traveling via the closest and most direct **street** route.

BYLAW NO. 6185, 1994**Height, Width and Weight Limits**

602. Notwithstanding Section 600 and 601, the maximum height, length or width of a **vehicle** or load allowable on a **street** or portion of a **street** that is expressly limited as to maximum height, length or width of a **vehicle** or load by a sign erected by the Minister of Transportation and Highways or the **City Engineer** shall be that set out on the sign.

BYLAW NO. 6185, 1994**Construction Vehicles**

603. Notwithstanding Sections 600, 601, and 602, no person shall, operate a **construction vehicle** on a **street** where a sign has been posted by the **City Engineer** prohibiting such operation, unless:

603.1 that **construction vehicle** is delivering or picking up goods, merchandise, equipment or other things to or from a residence or business premise located within that block.

Oversize and Overweight Permit Procedures

604.

604.1 No person shall drive or operate a **vehicle** on any **street**, either unladen or with load, exceeding any of the limitations contained in this Part, without an oversize and overweight permit in writing issued with respect to the **vehicle** by the **City Engineer**.

604.2 Applications for oversize and overweight permits shall be in writing, in a form accepted by the **City Engineer**, giving such particulars as the **City Engineer** requires.

604.3 No person shall operate or drive a **vehicle** with respect to which an oversize and overweight permit has been issued, except in conformity with the conditions stated therein.

604.4 A person being the owner or operator of a **vehicle** with respect to which a current oversize and overweight permit has been issued shall cause the permit to be carried in the **vehicle** at all times and produce it to a **Peace Officer** for inspection upon request.

604.5 Application for an oversize and overweight permit authorizing a single trip for one **vehicle** shall be made not less than 24 hours in advance.

604.6 An oversize and overweight permit authorizing more than one trip for one **vehicle** which exceeds the limitations of the bylaw regarding weights, loads and size shall:

604.6.1 be valid for a period not exceeding 12 months and in any event shall terminate on the 28th day of February in every year;

604.6.2 be unlimited as to number of trips where the **vehicle** and load do not exceed 3 metres (10 feet) in width, 4.6 metres (15 feet) in height or 21.3 metres (70 feet) in length, unless otherwise authorized by the **City Engineer**; and

604.6.3 be subject to separate approval as to route and time of each trip by the **City Engineer** if the **vehicle** or the **vehicle** and load together exceed 3 metres (10 feet) in width but are not greater than 3.7 metres (12 feet) in

width, or exceed 21.3 metres (70 feet) in length but are not greater than 24.4 metres (80 feet) in length.

Indemnity

605. Before any permit is issued pursuant to Section 604, the applicant shall deposit with the **City** a bond of indemnity or a copy of an insurance policy to secure payment to the **City** of the cost of repairing or reconstructing any **street** or other property of the **City** damaged by reason of the driving or operating of the **vehicle** for which the permit is granted. Such bond or insurance policy shall be in an amount prescribed by the **City Engineer** and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

Permit Fees

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

606. The **City Engineer** is hereby authorized to charge fees as set out in the Fees and Rates Bylaw for oversize and overweight permits.

Spilling of Vehicle Loads on Streets and Securing Loads

607.

607.1 No person shall drive or operate on any **street**:

607.1.1 a **vehicle** unless it is so constructed or loaded as to prevent any of its load from dropping, shifting, leaking, or otherwise escaping therefrom, except that sand may be dropped for the purpose of securing traction, or water or other substances may be sprinkled on a **street** in cleaning or maintaining such **street**; or

607.1.2 a **vehicle** with any load unless said load and any covering thereon is securely fastened so as to prevent such covering or load from becoming loose, detached, or in any manner a hazard to other users of the **street**.

607.2 No person being the driver or operator of a **vehicle**, shall in the event that any article, substance or material, due to any cause whatsoever, becomes loose or detached or blow, drop, spill or fall from the **vehicle** onto any **street**, fail to take all reasonable precautions to safeguard **traffic** from the consequences thereof or fail to remove such material from such **street**.

607.3 No person being the driver or operator of any **vehicle** carrying loads of lumber or loads of a similar nature shall fail to:

607.3.1 transport any loads unless such loads are stripped in conformity with the stripping regulations contained in the General Accident Prevention Regulations of the Provincial Workmen's Compensation Board; and

607.3.2 not exceed the following height limitations for the corresponding vehicle weights measured from the ground:

<i>Vehicle Weighing</i>	<i>Maximum Height of Load</i>
2,700 kg. or less metres	2.7
More than 2,700 kg. but metres not exceeding 3,600 kg.	3.2
Over 3,600 kg. metres	3.81

Weighing and Inspection of Vehicles

608. The driver of a **vehicle** on a **street**, when so required by a **Peace Officer** or any person authorized by the Minister of Transportation and Highways, shall:

608.1 stop the **vehicle** at the time and place specified by such **Peace Officer** or authorized person for the purpose of weighing the whole or part thereof by means of stationary or portable scales, measuring the dimensions of the **vehicle** and load, measuring and inspecting the tires thereon, inspecting the load carried, or for any other purpose under the Motor Vehicle Act or Regulations;

608.2 drive the **vehicle** to the nearest public or Department of Commercial Transport stationary or portable scales for the purpose of weighing the **vehicle** and load; and

608.3 rearrange the load upon the **vehicle** or remove the whole or part of the load from the **vehicle** in order to comply with the provisions of the Act, regulations or permit before continuing to drive or operate the **vehicle**.

**PART V
MOVING TRAFFIC**

Speed Limit in Lanes

700. No person shall drive or operate any **motor vehicle** upon or along any **lane** at a rate of speed in excess of 20 km/hour (12 mph).

BYLAW NO. 6562, 1999

Engine Brakes

701. No person shall, except in the case of an emergency, use an engine brake of any kind, including a brake commonly known as a Jacobs Brake or Jake Brake, to slow or stop a motor vehicle in the Municipality.

BYLAW NO. 7440 2011

702. Neighbourhood Zero Emission Vehicles

- (1) A person may drive or operate a Neighbourhood Zero Emission Vehicle only:
- a) on a street that has a speed limit of 50 km/hr or less;
 - b) in the lane of the street closet to the right hand edge or curb of the street that is available for:
 - i) general traffic; or
 - ii) high occupancy vehicles in circumstance where the Neighbourhood Zero Emission Vehicle is being used as a high occupancy vehicle;Except where necessary to make a left hand turn or to pass another vehicle.
- (2) Except to the extent that they conflict with subsection (1), all of the provisions of this Bylaw applicable to vehicles and motor vehicles and the use and operation thereof shall apply to Neighbourhood Zero Emission Vehicles.

PART VI FINES AND PENALTIES

Fine on Conviction

800. Every person who violates any of the provisions of this bylaw, or who suffers or permits any act or thing to be done in contravention of this bylaw, is liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than two thousand dollars (\$2000) and costs (including the costs of the committal and conveyance to the place of imprisonment) for each offense, and in default of payment therefor, to imprisonment to a term not exceeding 6 months in jail.

Disposal of Objects

801.

801.1 After the expiration of 31 days from the date of seizure of an object under Section 503.2, the **City Engineer** is authorized to sell the object by auction and the proceeds of the sale shall be the property of the **City**.

801.2 The **City** may recover its fees, cost, and expenses for removal, detention, impounding and storage of an object seized under Section 503.2 from the owner by action in any court in competent jurisdiction or by sale of the object at public auction.

801.3 Where, in the opinion of the **City Engineer**, it is impractical to dispose of an object seized under Section 503.2 by public auction, the **City Engineer** may dispose of the object in any way deemed fit and recover the cost of such disposal from the owner of the object by court action.

Impoundment of Vehicles

802.

802.1 Any **vehicle** unlawfully occupying any portion of **City** property, **street, boulevard**, or public place may, upon the order of a **Peace Officer** or **Bylaw Enforcement Officer**, be removed to an impoundment lot and such a **vehicle** will not be released to its owner until the cost of its removal and impoundment is paid. These costs are established in an agreement between the **City** and its towing agent.

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

802.2 If such impounded **vehicle** is not claimed by its owner within 31 days of the giving of the notice of the impounding of the

vehicle, such **vehicle** may be sold at public auction. Any monies received on its sale shall be applied:

802.2.1 firstly to the cost of the sale;

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

802.2.2 secondly, to the cost of the removal, impoundment and storage of the **vehicles**; and,

802.2.3 thirdly, the surplus, if any, shall be sent by registered mail to the registered owner of the **vehicle** at the address shown for such owner in the records of the Superintendent of Motor Vehicles.

BYLAW NO. 6368, 1997

802.3 Notification shall be by registered mail to the last known address of the registered owner.

Liability for Damages and Costs

803. In addition to all other penalties herein provided, any person causing damage to any **street** or **boulevard** or any person being the owner or operator of any **vehicle** which causes damage to any **street** or **boulevard** shall be responsible for the cost of repairing such damage.

BYLAW NO. 7317, 2009 “Part VI, Fines and Penalties, deleting Sections 804, 805, 806, 807 and 808.”

BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993 “DELETION OF TRUCK OFF A TRUCK ROUTE” –

BYLAW NO. 6185, 1994 “DELETION OF TRUCK WITHOUT A PERMIT”

**PART VII
SEVERABILITY**

Severability

900. In the event of a Court of competent jurisdiction declaring any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this bylaw to be invalid, such a decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this bylaw.

**PART VIII
REPEAL**

Repeal of Street Traffic Bylaw No. 4686, 1973

1000. The bylaw known as the "Street Traffic Bylaw No. 4686, 1973" and amendments thereto is hereby repealed.

**PART IX
SCHEDULES**

**SCHEDULE 1 - TABLE OF AUTHORITY FOR THE CITY ENGINEER AND
HIS
DULY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES**

Section	Description	City Engineer	Design & Admin.	Manager Engineer or Traffic Techn.	Design	Sta
301	Erect traffic control devices	X	X	X	X	
302.1	Issue Street Occupancy permits	X	X	X	X	
302.3	Set Fees for Street Occupancy Permits	X	X			
303	Restrict Use of Streets	X	X	X		
304	Placing of Portable NO PARKING signs	X	X	X	X	
305	Designate Handicapped and Reserved Parking Zones	X	X	X		
415.5	Determine Form of parking permits, signs and decals.	X	X			
507	Order Removal of Material Deposited on Streets or Boulevards	X	X			
513	Remove Any Structure, Object, Substance or Thing on Any Street	X	X	X	X	
604	Issue Oversize and Overweight Permits	X	X	X		

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013**Schedule 2 - Deleted****BYLAW NO. 6133, 1993****SCHEDULE 3 - PARKING PERMIT AREAS AND BLOCKS**

In the area outlined in heavy black on the plan attached hereto as Schedule 3.1 where signs are posted indicating "Two hour parking 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Friday EXCEPT AREA C PERMITS".

In the area outlined in heavy black on the plan attached hereto as Schedule 3.2 where signs are posted indicating "NO PARKING EXCEPT AREA W PERMITS".

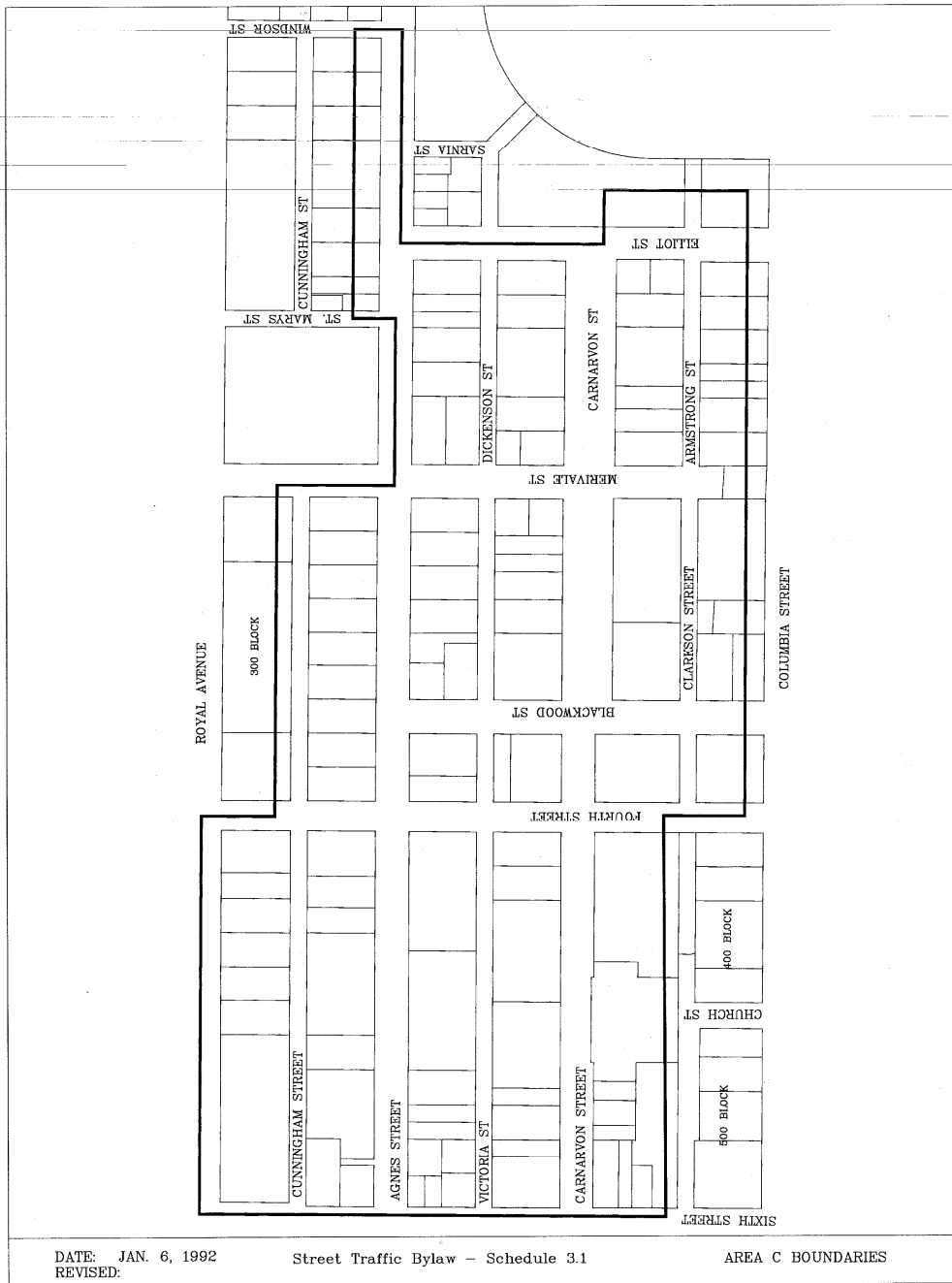
In the area outline in heavy black on the plan attached hereto as Schedule 3.3 where signs are posted indicating "NO PARKING EXCEPT AREA S PERMITS" and signs indicating "Two hour parking 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Friday EXCEPT AREA S PERMITS".

In the **810-814 Block of First Street** on the west side (even).
 In the **300 Block of Fourth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400 Block of Fourth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **500 Block of Fourth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **600 Block of Fourth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **701-715 Block of Fourth Street** on the east side (odd).
 In the **710-724 Block of Fourth Street** on the west side (even).
 In the **300 Block of Fifth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400 Block of Fifth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **500 Block of Fifth Street** on the east side (odd).
 In the **600 Block of Fifth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **700 Block of Fifth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **100 Block of Seventh Street** on the west side (even).
 In the **400 Block of Seventh Street** on the east side (odd).
 In the **426-430 Block of Seventh Street** on the west side (even).
 In the **100 Block of Eighth Street** on the east side (odd).
 In the **403-419 Block of Ninth Street** on the east side (odd).
 In **98 - Tenth Street**.
 In the **400 Block of Twelfth Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In **810 - Twenty-Third Street**.

In the **500 Block of Third Avenue** on the south side (even).
 In the **400 Block of Fourth Avenue** on both sides (odd and even).
 In the **600 Block of Fourth Avenue** on the north side (odd).

In the **400 Block of Fifth Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **600 Block of Fifth Avenue** on the south side (even).
 In the **300 Block of Sixth Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400 Block of Sixth Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **1100 Block of Sixth Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **300 Block of Seventh Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400 Block of Seventh Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **500 Block of Seventh Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **600 Block of Seventh Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **700 Block of Seventh Avenue** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **1900 Block of Seventh Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **2000 Block of Eighth Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **2100 Block of Eighth Avenue** on the north side (odd).

In the **100 Block of Ash Street** on the on the east side (odd).
 In the **500 Block of Ash Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400/600 Blocks of Bent Court** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **500 Block of Blackford St.** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **700 Block of Bowler Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **600 Block of Brantford Street** on the south side (even).
 In the **600 Block of Hamilton Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **700 Block of Hamilton Street** on the south side (even).
 In the **200 Block of Keary Street** on the south side (even).
 In the **2100 Block of Marine Way** on the north side (odd).
 In the **800 Block of Milton Street** on both sides (even and odd).
 In the **400 Block of Queens Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **500 Block of Queens Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **600 Block of Queens Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In **31-Reliance Court**.
 In the **700 Block of Royal Avenue** on the north side (odd).
 In the **300 Block of Ward Street** on the north side (odd).



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Street Traffic Bylaw - Schedule 3.1

AREA C BOUNDARIES

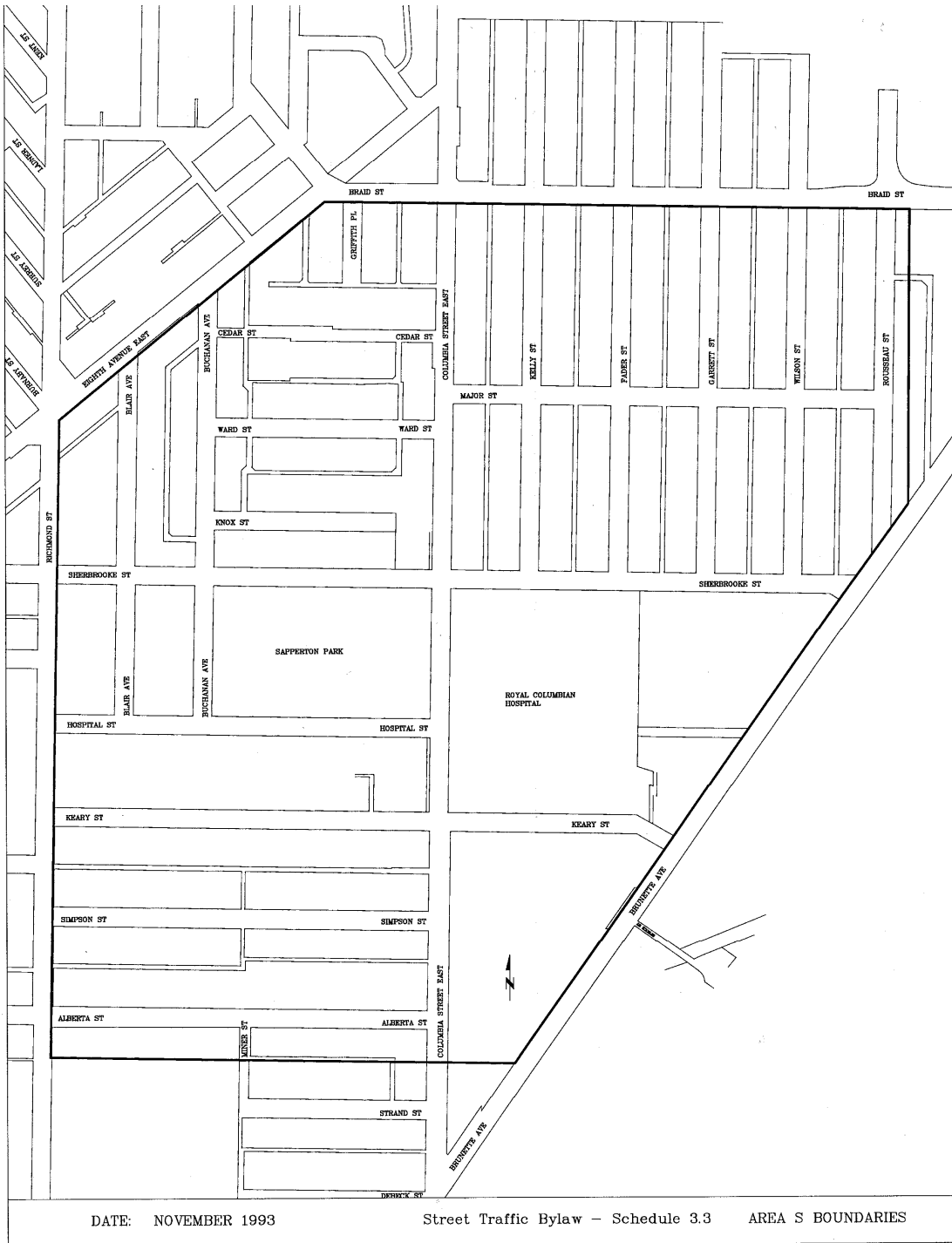


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Street Traffic Bylaw - Schedule 3.2

AREA W BOUNDARIES



BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013**Schedule 4 – Deleted****BYLAW NO. 6425, 1997****SCHEDULE 5 - DESIGNATED TRUCK ROUTES**

The following truck routes are in effect 24 hours per day, seven days per week.

McBride Boulevard from Columbia Street to Tenth Avenue

Tenth Avenue from McBride Boulevard to Twelfth Street

Marine Way from Twentieth Street to west City Limits

Stewardson Way from Twentieth Street to Royal Avenue

Brunette Avenue from Highway No. 1 to Columbia Street East

Braid Street from Brunette Avenue to Columbia Street East

Columbia Street from Elliott Street to McBride Boulevard

Columbia Street East from McBride Boulevard to Brunette Avenue

Columbia Street from Front Street/McNeely to Royal Avenue

Fourteenth Street from Stewardson Way to Third Avenue

Front Street from McNeely Street to Columbia Street East

Ewen Avenue from Derwent Way to Furness Street

Queensborough Bridge and Highway 91

Third Avenue from Stewardson Way to Fourteenth Street

Boyd Street from Howes Street to Derwent Way

Columbia Street East from Braid Street to north City Limits

Westminster Highway from Howes Street to west City Limits

Howes Street from Highway 91 to Boyd Street/Westminster Highway

Tenth Avenue from Twelfth Street to Twentieth Street - Westbound direction

The following truck routes are in effect from 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. seven days a week only.

Royal Avenue from Stewardson Way to McBride Boulevard

Eighth Avenue from McBride Boulevard to Columbia Street East

Tenth Avenue from Twelfth Street to Twentieth Street - Eastbound direction

Columbia Street East from Brunette Avenue to Braid Street

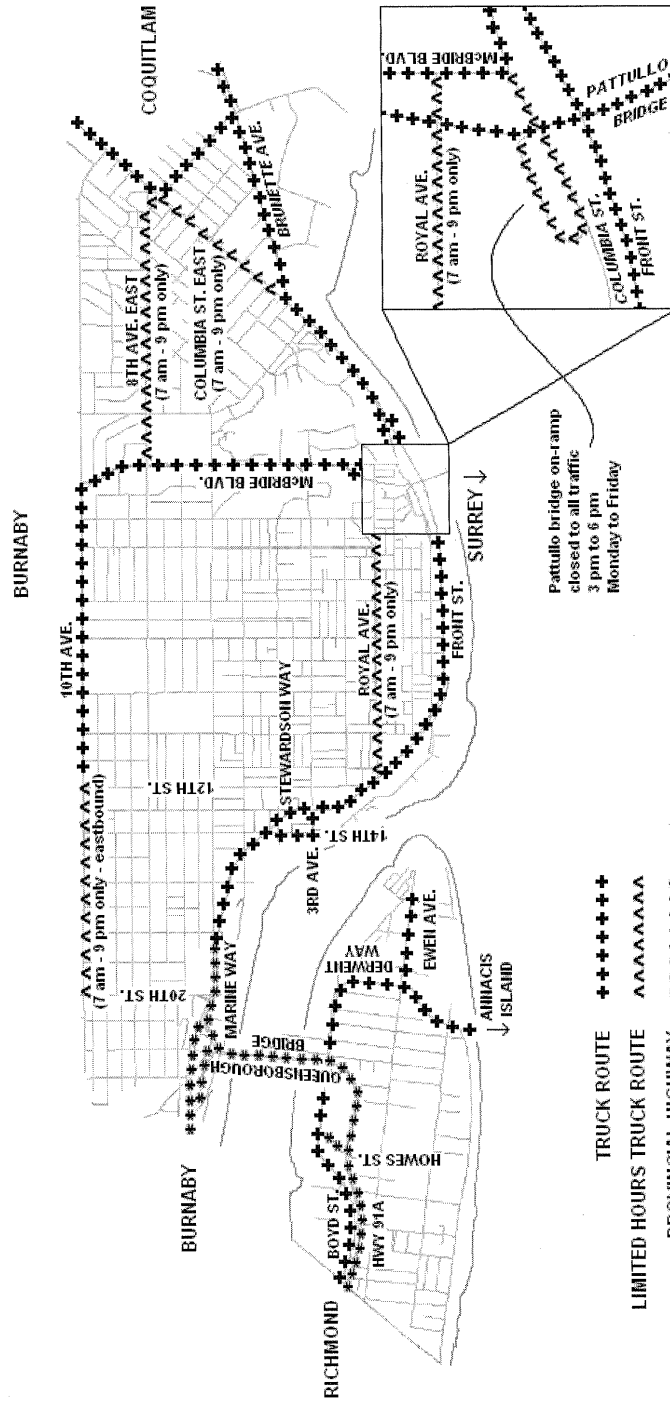
BYLAW NO. 6568, 1999

DELETION OF COLUMBIA STREET FROM ELLIOTT STREET TO EIGHTH STREET

BYLAW NO. 7171, 2007

SCHEDULE 5.1

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER TRUCK ROUTES



Revised June 13, 2007
Truck Routes/51970

BYLAW NO. 7582, 2013

Schedule 6 - Deleted

BYLAW NO. 7134, 2006

**SCHEDULE 7 - SIDEWALKS, FOOTPATHS AND WALKWAYS WHERE
CYCLING,
ROLLER SKATING AND SKATEBOARDING IS PROHIBITED**

Sixth Street from Tenth Avenue to Front Street

Seventh Street from Fifth Avenue to Sixth Avenue

Twelfth Street from Tenth Avenue to Fifth Avenue

Twentieth Street from Dublin Street to Hamilton Street on the west side only.

Sixth Avenue from Fifth Street to Eighth Street

Belmont Street from Sixth Street to Seventh Street

Columbia Street from Tenth Street to Elliott Street

Columbia Street East from Brunette Avenue to Braid Street

Waterfront Esplanade

SCHEDULE 8 - COMMERCIAL TRANSPORT ACT AND REGULATIONS
PERTAINING
TO VEHICLE WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS

Vehicle Width

1. No person shall, without an oversize and overweight permit, drive or operate on a street a vehicle having a total outside width, including its load, in excess of 2.6 metres, but not including the following as part of that width:
 - 1.1 loose hay, straw or fodder projecting over the sides of the vehicle to a total outside width not in excess of 3.1 metres;
 - 1.2 one or more mirrors, fitted for the purpose of conforming to the requirements of the Motor Vehicle Act Regulations, which do not extend more than 20 centimetres on each side beyond the total width of vehicle and load otherwise permitted by this Section;
 - 1.3 an anti splash and spray device, load securement device, ladder, clearance lamp or dangerous goods placard if the device, ladder, lamp or placard does not extend more than 10 centimetres on each side beyond the widest part of the vehicle and its load.

Vehicle Height

2. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a vehicle having a height, including its load, in excess of 4.15 metres.

RTAC Vehicle Axle Width

3.
 - 3.1 Subject to Section 3.2, no person shall, without a permit, drive or operate an RTAC semi-trailer or full trailer unless the distance across the outside of the tires on each single axle, each tandem axle and each tridem axle is:
 - 3.1.1 where the width of the semi-trailer or full trailer body is 2.5 metres or more, not less than 2.5 metres nor more than 2.6 metres, and;
 - 3.1.2 where the width of the semi-trailer or full trailer body is less than 2.5 metres, not less than 2.4 metres.
 - 3.2 Where a semi-trailer or full trailer was manufactured prior to August 31, 1988 and the running gear has not been totally

replaced, the width across the outside of the tires may be less than that required in Section 3.1.1, and any axles which are added to the existing running gear may be of a width equal to that running gear.

Truck Tractor Axle Width

4. No person shall drive or operate a truck tractor manufactured after June 30, 1995 unless the distance across the outside of the tires on each axle, other than a front steering axle, is not less than 2.5 metres and not more than 2.6 metres.

Vehicle Length

5. This Section does not apply to a driver or operator of an RTAC Vehicle. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate:

- 5.1 except as provided in Section 5.2 and 5.3, a single vehicle having an overall length, including its load, in excess of 12.5 metres;

- 5.2 a trailer having an overall length in excess of 12.5 metres, but not including the following as part of the length:

- 5.2.1 an air deflector, heater or refrigerator unit attached to the front of the trailer;

- 5.2.2 the draw bar of the trailer if the draw bar articulates in the horizontal plane relative to the main load carrying structural component of the trailer;

- 5.2.3 an air connector, electrical connector, roller, pickup plate, bumper, ladder load securement device or dangerous goods placard if the connector, roller, plate, bumper, ladder, device or placard does not extend more than 10 centimetres beyond the front or rear of the vehicle;

- 5.2.4 a platform mounted on the front upper portion of the trailer if the platform is used exclusively to assist in the installation or securing or both of load securement devices.

- 5.3 No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate, a semi-trailer:

- 5.3.1 having an overall length in excess of 14.65 metres; or

- 5.3.2 having more than 2 axles the tires of which are in contact with the ground, having an overall length in excess of

14.0 metres, but not including as part of that length anything described in Section 5.2.1, 5.2.3, or 5.2.4.

5.4 No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate, subject to Section 5.3, a combination of 2 or more vehicles having an overall length in excess of 20 metres including their load and a bus with an articulation point between the passenger carrying sections of the bus unless:

5.4.1 the overall length of the bus does not exceed 20 metres;

5.4.2 the distance from the articulation point to the front or rear of the bus does not exceed 12.5 metres; and

5.4.3 movement of passengers between the articulated sections of the bus is possible at all times while the bus is being operated on a street.

6. Section 5.4 does not apply where the combination of vehicles:

6.1 is a combination of 2 vehicles that has a single articulation point, has an overall length, including its load, of not more than 21.5 metres and is carrying a load of logs, wood poles or wood pilings and the length of the load cannot be reduced without cutting the wood;

6.2 is a combination of vehicles that contains more than one articulation point and has an overall length, including its load, or not more than 23 metres; or

6.3 is a combination of vehicles that:

6.3.1 contains a licensed booster semi-trailer mounted to the rear of a semi-trailer lowbed; and

6.3.2 has an overall length, including its load, of not more than 23 metres.

RTAC Vehicle Length

7. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a truck tractor in combination with a single semi-trailer unless:
 - 7.1 the overall length of the semi-trailer is not more than 16.2 metres including its load, but not including as part of that length anything described in Section 5.1.1, 5.1.3 or 5.1.4; and
 - 7.2 the wheelbase of the semi-trailer is not less than 6.25 metres and not more than 12.5 metres.

8. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate an A train or C train unless:
 - 8.1 the distance from the front of the lead semi-trailer to the rear of the full trailer is not more than 18.5 metres including their loads, but not including as part of that length anything described in Section 5.1.1, 5.1.3 or 5.1.4; and
 - 8.2 the wheelbase of the lead semi-trailer or the following full trailer is not less than 6.5 metres.

9. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a B train unless:
 - 9.1 the distance from the front of the lead semi-trailer to the rear of the second semi-trailer is not more than 20 metres including their loads, but not including as part of that length anything described in Section 5.2.1 or 5.2.4;
 - 9.2 except for a vehicle referred to in Section 40, the wheelbase of the lead semi-trailer is not less than 6.5 metres nor more than 12.5 metres; and
 - 9.3 the wheelbase of the second semi-trailer is not less than 6.25 metres nor more than 12.5 metres.

10. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate:
 - 10.1 a truck tractor having a wheelbase in excess of 6.2 metres, other than a bed truck being used in oil explorations;
 - 10.2 a bed truck, being used in oil exploration, having a wheelbase in excess of 10 metres;
 - 10.3 a truck tractor in combination with a single semi-trailer having an overall length, including its loads, in excess of 23 metres; or

- 10.4 an A train, B train or C train having an overall length including its load, in excess of 25 metres.

Kingpin Setback

11. This Section does not apply to drivers or operators of RTAC vehicles. Except as provided in Section 12, no person shall without a permit, drive or operate a combination of vehicles:
- 11.1 that includes a semi-trailer with any part of its body or load forward of the center of the articulation point by more than a radius of 2.25 metres; or
- 11.2 where the distance from an articulation point to the extreme rear of the vehicle combination exceeds 18 metres, but not including as part of that distance anything described in Section 5.2.1, 5.2.3. or 5.2.4.
12. No person shall drive or operate on a street, without a permit, a pole trailer in combination with one other vehicle where the combination of vehicles is carrying a load that projects forward of the vertical axis of rotation of the forward bunk by a radius of more than 3 metres.

RTAC Kingpin Setback

13. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a semi-trailer or full trailer where a part of the body or load is forward of the center of the turning axis articulation point by more than a radius of 2 metres.

Front and Rear Projections

14. This Section does not apply to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a vehicle or combination of vehicles where:
- 14.1 the load extends more than 1 metre beyond the front wheels, or if equipped with a front bumper, more than 1 metre beyond that bumper; or
- 14.2 subject to Section 15, the rear projection from the center of the last axle to a part of the vehicle or load exceeds 5 metres; or
- 14.3 the load extends more than 1.85 metres beyond the back of the vehicle or combination of vehicles; or
- 14.4 the load upon any privately-owned passenger vehicle shall not extend beyond the line of the fenders on the left side of such

vehicle nor more than 15 centimetres beyond the line of the fenders on the right side thereof.

15. Section 14.2 does not apply where the vehicle or combination of vehicles is a logging truck tractor and pole trailer carrying logs or poles in their natural state and the rear projection from the center of the last bunk to a part of the vehicle or load does not exceed 5 metres.

RTAC Effective Overhang

16. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC vehicles. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a semi-trailer in combination with a truck tractor where the effective overhang on the semi-trailer exceeds 35% of the semi-trailer's trailer wheelbase.

Drawbar Length

17. This Section does not apply to a driver or operator of an RTAC Vehicle. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a combination of vehicles where the length of the drawbar or other connection between 2 of the vehicles exceeds 5 metres, except a combination consisting of only a motor vehicle and a pole trailer.

RTAC Hitch Offset

18. This Section applies only to a driver or operator of an RTAC Vehicle. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate an A train or C train where the hitch offset on the lead semi-trailer exceeds 1.8 metres.

Load Sharing

19. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a combination of vehicles where the load is supported by more than one vehicle in combination except:
- 19.1 a combination carrying logs, wood poles or wood pilings by means of a pole trailer equipped with a compensating reach; or
 - 19.2 where the load is supported at an articulation point by a fifth wheel coupler and kingpin, a pintle hook and lunette eye assembly or a turntable.

Axle Groups

20. This Section does not apply to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. Subject to Section 22, no person shall, without a permit, drive or operate on a street a vehicle or combination of vehicles having attached to it 2 consecutive axles unless one of the axles:

20.1 rotates in the horizontal plane about a vertical axis; or

20.2 articulates in the manner of a steering axle, relative to the second axle; and such rotation or articulation is sufficient to prevent lateral movement between the road surface and the tires on the rims affixed to that axle.

21. Subject to Section 22, no person shall, without a permit, drive or operate upon a street, a vehicle or combination of vehicles having attached to it 3 consecutive axles the tires of which are in contact with the ground unless the first or the last axle of the 3 axle group:

21.1 rotates in the horizontal plane about a vertical axis; or

21.2 the tires and wheels on one of the axles articulate in the manner of a steering axle, relative to the other axles;

and that rotation or articulation is sufficient to prevent any lateral movement between the road surface and the tires on the rims affixed to that axle.

22. Section 20 and 21 do not apply to a tandem axle.

RTAC Axle Unit

23. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate on a street:

23.1 a truck tractor in combination with:

23.1.1 a semi-trailer, on which more than one axle unit is in contact with the ground;

23.1.2 a semi-trailer having a trailer wheelbase of less than 9.5 metres, equipped with a tridem axle having an axle spread of more than 3.1 metres;

23.1.3 a trailer converter dolly equipped with a tandem or tridem axle unit; or

- 23.2 except as provided in Section 40, a vehicle or combination of vehicles in which the interaxle spacing:
- 23.2.1 between a single axle and any other single axle, between a single axle and a tandem axle, or between a single axle and a tridem axle is less than 3 metres;
 - 23.2.2. between 2 tandem axles is less than 5 metres;
 - 23.2.3 between a tandem axle and a tridem axle is less than 5.5 metres; or
 - 23.2.4 between 2 tridem axles is less than 6 metres.
24. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate on a street:
- 24.1 a truck tractor equipped with a tridem axle; or
 - 24.2 a truck tractor equipped with 2 steering axles.

Lift Axles

25. No person shall drive or operate on a street a combination of vehicles in which a control, other than one that locks or unlocks a sliding fifth wheel coupler, is provided:
- 25.1 for raising or lowering a single axle or group of axles; or
 - 25.2 for varying the load on an axle or group of axles other than at a location that is adjacent to that axle or group of axles and not inside the operator's compartment.
26. No person shall drive or operate an RTAC Vehicle equipped with a lift axle where the tires of the lift axle are in contact with the ground.

Self Steering Axles

27. No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate on a street:

27.1 in combination with other vehicles a motor vehicle equipped with a self steering axle where the tires of the self steering axle are in contact with the ground;

27.2 an RTAC Vehicle equipped with a self steering axle where the tires of the self steering axle are in contact with the ground.

Licensed GVW

28. The maximum licensed gross vehicle weight of a vehicle or combination of vehicles shall not exceed 63,500 kilograms.

Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight

29. To determine the maximum allowable gross vehicle weight of a vehicle or combination of vehicles, only those axles that are within the prescribed maximum overall length shall be included.

30. Notwithstanding Section 29, where a vehicle or combination of vehicles is extended beyond the maximum overall length authorized under this Section for the sole purpose of accommodating an oversize or overweight load without any increase in the number of axles, the displaced axles shall be deemed to be within the maximum overall length authorized under this Section.

RTAC Gross Vehicle Weight

31. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate on a street:

31.1 a truck tractor in combination with a semi-trailer having a gross vehicle weight in excess of 46,500 kilograms; or

31.2 an A train or C train having a gross vehicle weight in excess of 53,500 kilograms.

Tire Loads

32. This Section does not apply to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate on a street a vehicle loaded so that the gross weight on a tire exceeds:

32.1 110 kg. per 1.0 cm of tire width in the case of pneumatic tires; or

32.2 55 kg per 1.0 cm of tire width in the case of metal or solid rubber tires.

RTAC Tire Loads

33. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate upon a street a vehicle so loaded that the gross weight on a tire:

33.1 exceeds 100 kg per 1.0 cm of tire width in the case of pneumatic tires;

33.2 exceeds the rated capacity of the tire as rated by the manufacturer of the tire; or

33.3 exceeds 3,000 kg other than a tire attached to the steering axle of:

33.3.1 a self-loading truck tractor, or

33.3.2 a bed truck being used in oil exploration.

Maximum Axle Load and Spacing

34. This Section does not apply to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate on a street:

34.1 a vehicle, where an axle carries a gross weight in excess of 9,100 kilograms;

34.2 a vehicle or combination of vehicles having a group of axles within a spacing of 8 metres or less, where the group of axles carries the gross weight indicated in column 2 of Table 1 opposite the distance between the centers of the first and last axle of the group as indicated in column 1:

TABLE 1

Maximum Gross Weight for Axle Groups

Column 1 Distance between the centers of the first axle and last axle of any group of axles of a vehicle or combination of vehicles	Column 2 Maximum gross weight, group of axles
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less than 1.0 m		9,100 kg.
1.0 m up to but not including 1.2 m	1.2 m	16,500 kg.
1.2 m	“ 1.9 m	17,000 kg.
1.9 m	“ 2.3 m	19,000 kg.
2.6 m	“ 3.0 m	20,000 kg.
3.0 m	“ 3.4 m	21,000 kg.
3.4 m	“ 3.8 m	22,000 kg.
3.8 m	“ 4.2 m	23,000 kg.
4.2 m	“ 4.6 m	24,000 kg.
4.6 m	“ 5.0 m	25,000 kg.
5.0 m	“ 5.3 m	26,000 kg.
5.3 m	“ 5.7 m	27,000 kg.
5.7 m	“ 6.1 m	28,000 kg.
6.1 m	“ 6.5 m	29,000 kg.
6.5 m	“ 6.9 m	30,000 kg.
6.9 m	“ 7.2 m	31,000 kg.
7.2 m	“ 7.6 m	32,000 kg.
7.6 m	“ 8.0 m	33,000 kg.
8.0 m		34,000 kg.

34.3 a 3 vehicle combination of vehicles where a single steering axle on the truck tractor carries a gross weight in excess of 6,000 kilograms;

34.4 a 3 vehicle combination of vehicles with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 57,000 kilograms unless:

34.4.1 the power unit is a truck tractor; and

34.4.2 the kingpin of the first semi-trailer is positioned at, or forward of, a point midway between the center of the 2 rear most axles of the truck tractor;

34.5 a 3 vehicle combination of vehicles unless the gross vehicle weight exceeds 11,000 kilograms; or

- 34.6 a combination of vehicles having a gross vehicle weight in excess of 63,500 kilograms.
35. Notwithstanding Section 34.5, a person does not require a permit to drive or operate a 3 vehicle combination of vehicles, the gross vehicle weight of which does not exceed 11,000 kilograms, where the combination consists of:
- 34.1 a motor vehicle;
 - 35.2 a towing dolly, and
 - 35.3 a licensed motor vehicle one axle of which is being carried by the towing dolly.

RTAC Axle Loads and Spacing

36. This Section applies only to drivers or operators of RTAC Vehicles. In this Section "self loading truck tractor" means a truck tractor equipped with a chassis mounted crane immediately behind the driver's compartment which is used for loading or unloading the vehicle combination. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate:
- 36.1 a vehicle where the gross axle weight on:
 - 36.1.1 an axle unit exceeds the axle, suspension or brake manufacturer's rating of that component;
 - 36.1.2 the steering axle of a truck tractor other than a self-loading truck tractor, or a bed truck being used in oil exploration exceeds 5,500 kilograms;
 - 36.1.3 a single axle equipped with dual tires exceeds 9,100 kilograms;
 - 36.1.4 a tandem axle, exceeds 17,000 kilograms; or
 - 36.1.5 a tridem axle, exceeds 24,000 kilograms;
 - 36.2 an A train or C train where the sum of the axle loads on all axles of the full trailer exceeds 16,000 kilograms; or

- 36.3 a tandem drive axle truck tractor in combination with a single axle jeep and lowbed semi-trailer where the sum of the axle loads on the tandem drive axle and the single axle of the jeep exceeds 24,000 kilograms;
- 36.4 No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a self-loading truck tractor where the gross axle weight on the steering axle exceeds 7,300 kilograms.
- 36.5 No person shall, without a permit, drive or operate a bed truck used in oil exploration where the gross axle weight on the steering axle exceeds 9,100 kilograms.

Drive Axle

37. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate on a street:
- 37.1 a vehicle or combination of vehicles having a gross weight on the drive axle that is less than 20% of the gross vehicle weight; or
- 37.2 a combination of vehicles with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 38,000 kilograms unless the towing vehicle has a tandem drive axle.

Weight to Horsepower

38. No person shall, without an overload permit, drive or operate upon a street a combination of vehicles unless the gross vehicle weight to the gross horsepower of the towing vehicle bears a relationship of not more than 150 kg to one horsepower.

Towing Dollies

39. No person shall, drive or operate on a street, a commercial vehicle that is towing a towing dolly where the net weight of the towing dolly plus the gross weight of a motor vehicle, one axle of which is being carried by the towing dolly, exceeds 2,800 kilograms.

RTAC Lowbed

40. Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 9.2 and 23.2, a tandem drive axle truck tractor may be coupled to a single axle jeep or a single axle jeep and lowbed semi-trailer provided that the interaxle spacing between the tandem drive axle and the jeep single axle is not less than 1.2 metres or more than 3.5 metres.

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