

**“USER FEE SUBSIDY AMENDMENT BYLAW 2009 NO. 7095”**

*Consolidated Version*

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Includes Amendments: 7095.01, 7095.02, 7095.03, 7095.04, 7095.05

CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7095

A BYLAW TO PROVIDE FOR USER FEE SUBSIDIES

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WHEREAS the Council may, by bylaw, waive any part of any tax, rate, or charge imposed for the purpose of providing water, sewer or pollution control and abatement facilities, with respect to their application to property owned and occupied by any class of citizens of sixty-five years of age or over specified in the bylaw;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed that some persons who are paying taxes, rates or charges for water and sewer services for property in the City are persons in special circumstances where additional benefits are warranted; and

AND WHEREAS it is deemed that the rates as set out in the current Sewer Regulation and Charge Bylaw and the current Waterworks Rate and Regulation Bylaw are deemed to place an undue burden upon persons in special circumstances;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Nanaimo, in open meeting assembled, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. This Bylaw may be cited as "USER FEE SUBSIDY BYLAW 2009 NO. 7095".
2. In this Bylaw, unless the content otherwise requires:  
"Property" means property as defined in the *Assessment Act*;
3. (1) Every owner and occupier of property who:
  - (a) is sixty-five years of age or over; and,
  - (b) whose total annual income does not exceed \$27,980 per person or \$34,830 per household;

shall be considered persons in special circumstances where additional benefits are warranted and shall upon application be entitled to a waiver of fifty (50) percent of the minimum charges for user fees levied under the current Sewer Regulation and Charge Bylaw and the current Waterworks Rate and Regulation Bylaw.

(7095.02, 7095.03, 7095.04, 7095.05)

4. Repeal

"USER FEE SUBSIDY BYLAW 2005 NO. 5740" is hereby repealed.