

NOTICE OF FIRST READING – SMALL SCALE MULTI UNIT HOUSING – AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING BYLAW

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Sections 464(3), 464(4), and 467 of the *Local Government Act* (LGA) that a Public Hearing is prohibited for proposed Zoning Amendment Bylaw 4500.223. Council will consider first reading of the bylaw on Monday, May 27th, 2024, in the Shaw Auditorium at the Vancouver Island Conference Centre at 80 Commercial Street, Nanaimo, BC.

BYLAW NO. 4500.223

This bylaw, if adopted, will result in amendments to the Zoning Bylaw to implement the City's "Increasing Housing Options" initiatives and the Provincially-mandated "Small-Scale Multi-Unit Housing" regulations. Proposed text amendments will revise Part 3 – Establishment of Zones, Part 5 – Definitions, Part 6 – General Regulations, Part 7 – Residential, Part 9 – Corridor, and Part 18 – Development Permit Area Guidelines. Proposed mapping amendments to Schedule A of the Zoning Bylaw will pre-zone existing single residential dwelling and duplex zoned properties, except where exempt, to the following zones:

- **R5 Three and Four Unit Residential**, outside of the Old City Neighbourhood and Corridor land use designations;
- R14 Old City Fourplex Residential, within the Old City Neighbourhood land use designation;
 and
- COR1 Residential Corridor with site-specific provisions for use and density ("Interim Corridor Area"), within the Corridor land use designations.

A copy of the Zoning Amendment Bylaw and staff report are available online at: www.nanaimo.ca/your-government/projects/small-scale-multi-unit-housing and are available to inspect in-person from May 16th to May 27th, from 8:00am to 4:30pm, Monday through Friday, at the City of Nanaimo Service and Resource Centre located at 411 Dunsmuir Street.

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