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**Bill No. 345** 

#### CITY OF HAMILTON

**BY-LAW NO. 06-345** 

To Amend the Sewer Use By-law 04-150, as amended, and Implement the 2007 Sewer Use Fees and Charges

**WHEREAS** on June 30, 2004, the Council of the City of Hamilton passed and enacted By-law 04-150, known and referred to as the "Sewer Use By-law", which By-law came into force and effect on June 30, 2004;

**AND WHEREAS** pursuant to section 391 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, a municipality may pass by-laws imposing fees or charges on any class of persons for services or activities provided or done by or on behalf of the municipality and for the use of the municipality's property, including property under its control;

**AND WHEREAS** on the 13h day of December, 2006, the Council of the City of Hamilton did approve of Item 1 of Committee of the Whole Report 06-023 and did authorize the 2007 water and wastewater fees and charges, including the sewer use fees and charges set out herein;

**AND WHEREAS** notice of the 2007 sewer use fees and charges set out herein has been given in a form and in the manner and at the times that the Council considers adequate and otherwise in accordance with the provisions of the said *Municipal Act*, 2001.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the City of Hamilton enacts as follows:

- 1. That Schedule "D" to By-law No. 04-150, as amended, be repealed and that Schedule "D" attached to this by-law be substituted therefor.
- 2. That this by-law shall come into force and take effect as of January 1, 2007.

3. In all other respects, the contents of By-law 04-150, as amended, including but not limited to all other fees and charges therein, are hereby confirmed as unchanged.

PASSED AND ENACTED this 13th day of December, 2006.

### **SCHEDULE D**

## **SCHEDULE OF FEES**

# EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2007 (REFERRED TO IN SECTIONS 4, 7 AND 8)

1. Annual permit to discharge hauled sewage

\$252.64\*

2. (a) Discharge fees for hauled sewage generated <u>inside</u> the City of Hamilton:

Volume of Hauled Sewage Vehicle		Fee for discharge: compliant	Fee for discharge: non-compliant
Up to 1000 imperial gallons or any part thereof	Up to 4.54 m <sup>3</sup> or any part thereof	\$ 38.02*	\$38.02*
Greater than 1000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 3500 imperial gallons	Greater than 4.54 m <sup>3</sup> but less than or equal to 15.9 m <sup>3</sup>	\$ 38.02*	\$76.04*
Greater than 3500 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 5000 imperial gallons	Greater than 15.9 m³ but less than or equal to 22.7 m³	\$ 76.04*	\$114.06*
Greater than 5000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 8000 imperial gallons	Greater than 22.7 m <sup>3</sup> but less than or equal to 36.3 m <sup>3</sup>	\$114.06*	\$190.09*
Greater than 8000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 10000 imperial gallons	Greater than 36.3 m³ but less than or equal to 45.43 m³	\$152.08*	\$228.11*

(b) Discharge fees for hauled sewage generated <u>outside</u> the City of Hamilton:

Volume of Hauled Sewage Vehicle		Fee for all discharges from outside the City: compliant and non- compliant
Up to 1000 imperial gallons or any part thereof	Up to 4.54 m <sup>3</sup> or any part thereof	\$76.04*
Greater than 1000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 3500 imperial gallons	Greater than 4.54 m <sup>3</sup> but less than or equal to 15.9 m <sup>3</sup>	\$152.08*
Greater than 3500 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 5000 imperial gallons	Greater than 15.9 m <sup>3</sup> but less than or equal to 22.7 m <sup>3</sup>	\$228.11*
Greater than 5000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 8000 imperial gallons	Greater than 22.7 m³ but less than or equal to 36.3 m³	\$380.19*
Greater than 8000 imperial gallons but less than or equal to 10000 imperial gallons	Greater than 36.3 m <sup>3</sup> but less than or equal to 45.43 m <sup>3</sup>	\$456.32*

c) Holding Tanks of Recreational Vehicles

\$ 5.00\*

## 3. Overstrength Discharge Fees

Parameter	Fee (cents/kg)	
B.O.D.	\$0.6065*	
Suspended Solids	\$0.4852*	
Phenolic Compounds	\$0.6065*	
Solvent Extractable Matter	\$0.5094*	
Kjeldahl Nitrogen	\$1.8468*	
Phosphorus	\$1.2992*	

4. Administrative Fees for Sewer Use Agreements (minimum charges per quarter)

	<ul><li>a) Overstrength Discharge Agreement</li><li>b) Sanitary Sewer Surcharge Agreement</li><li>c) Chloride Discharge Agreement</li></ul>	\$249.15* \$249.15* \$249.15*
5.	Spills Response Fee (per hour)	\$ 53.87*
6.	Information Requests	\$114.62*