

Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Bylaw No. 263, 2011

A Bylaw to Establish the Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation

WHEREAS:

- A. Pursuant to the *Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act* (the “Act”) the objects of the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District (“GVS&DD”) include the disposal of all types of waste and the operation and administration of facilities for the disposal of all types of waste;
- B. Section 7A(5)(b) of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to establish the uses to which its waste disposal facilities may be put and by whom they may be used;
- C. Section 7A(5)(g) of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to establish scales of charges for services rendered by the GVS&DD and for the use of any of the GVS&DD’s waste disposal facilities;
- D. In relation to the disposal of solid waste generated within its area, section 7B of the Act empowers the GVS&DD to set levies payable by generators of waste or by other persons who use the services of a waste hauler based on the quantity, volume, type or composition of waste generated;
- E. Pursuant to section 14 of the Act, the Board of the GVS&DD may proceed by bylaw, resolution or order unless specially required by the Act to proceed by by-law.

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1.0 Repeal of Bylaw

- 1.1 “Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 258, 2010” is hereby repealed.

2.0 Citation

- 2.1 The official citation for this bylaw is “Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 263, 2011”.
- 2.2 This Bylaw may be cited as the “2012 Tipping Fee Bylaw”.

3.0 Definitions

- 3.1 In this Bylaw:
 - (a) “**Agricultural Waste**” means Municipal Solid Waste that originates from an agricultural operation as defined pursuant to the *Environmental Management*

Act and includes manure, used mushroom medium and agricultural vegetation waste;

- (b) **“Assistant Commissioner”** means the person appointed to the position of Assistant Commissioner from time to time by the GVS&DD and includes any person appointed or designated to act in his or her place;
- (c) **“Banned Recyclable Material”** means Refuse listed under Schedule “D”;
- (d) **“Banned Recyclable Plastic”** means polyethylene terephthalate (number 1 PET plastic), high density polyethylene (number 2 HDPE plastic), low density polyethylene (number 4 LDPE plastic) or polypropylene (number 5 PP);
- (e) **“Biomedical Waste”** means Municipal Solid Waste defined as biomedical waste pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;
- (f) **“Board”** means the Board of the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District;
- (g) **“Clean Wood Waste”** means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises solid wood, plywood, particle board, oriented strand board that is unpainted, unstained and untreated, but that may or may not be pierced with nails or other metal fasteners;
- (h) **“Commissioner”** means the person appointed to the position of Commissioner from time to time by the GVS&DD and includes any person appointed or designated to act in his or her place;
- (i) **“Contaminated Recyclable Paper”** means Recyclable Paper that has been contaminated with grease, oil, food residue or other material with the result that the paper is Unmarketable;
- (j) **“Corrugated Cardboard”** means Recyclable Paper that consists of a fluted corrugated sheet and one or two flat linerboards;
- (k) **“Disposal Site”** means any of the Municipal Solid Waste disposal facilities listed in Schedule A;
- (l) **“Emergency”** means a present or imminent event or circumstance that:
 - (i) is caused by accident, fire, explosion, technical failure, labour strike or the forces of nature; and
 - (ii) requires prompt coordination of action or special regulation of persons or property to protect the health, safety or welfare of a person or to limit damage to property;
- (m) **“Environmental Management Act”** means the *Environmental Management Act* S.B.C. 2003 c. 53;

- (n) **“Fraser Valley Regional District Levy” or “FVRD Levy”** means the solid waste levy that is charged by the Fraser Valley Regional District pursuant to the Fraser Valley Regional District Bylaw No. 0327, 1999, as amended or replaced from time to time;
- (o) **“Garbage”** means Municipal Solid Waste that is deposited in a bunker, pit or on the tipping floor at a Disposal Site for disposal as opposed to a Recycling Area;
- (p) **“Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act” or “the Act”** means the *Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act S.B.C. 1956 c. 59*;
- (q) **“Green Waste”** means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises vegetative matter resulting from gardening, landscaping or land clearing that is capable of being composted and includes grass, shrub and tree branches, grass sod, flowers, weeds, leaves, vegetable stalks, brush and tree stumps with a maximum diameter of 30 centimetres and maximum length of 120 centimetres, but excludes food waste and Agricultural Waste;
- (r) **“Gypsum”** means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises board made of several plies of fiberboard, paper or felt bonded to a hardened gypsum plaster core that is also known as drywall and includes gypsum board that has been painted or covered in wallpaper and removed during renovation and demolition;
- (s) **“Hazardous Waste”** means
 - (i) dangerous goods if they:
 - (1) are no longer used for their original purpose, and
 - (2) meet the criteria for Class 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 or 9 of the federal dangerous goods regulations,

including those that are recycled, treated, abandoned, stored or disposed of, intended for recycling, treatment or disposal or in storage or transit before recycling, treatment or disposal,
 - (ii) PCB wastes,
 - (iii) wastes containing dioxin,
 - (iv) waste oil,
 - (v) waste asbestos,
 - (vi) waste pest control product containers and wastes containing pest control products, including wastes produced in the production of treated wood products using pest control products,

- (vii) leachable toxic waste,
 - (viii) waste containing tetrachloroethylene,
 - (ix) wastes listed in Schedule 7 to the *Hazardous Waste Regulation* B.C. Reg. 63/88, as amended or replaced from time to time; and
 - (x) waste containing polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon.
- (t) **“International Waste”** means Municipal Solid Waste traveling or originating from outside Canada but does not include Refuse from cruise ships from the United States;
 - (u) **“Load”** means the quantity of Municipal Solid Waste material that is or was contained within a single vehicle attending at a Disposal Site;
 - (v) **“Manager”** means the person appointed to the position of Division Manager, Contracted Services from time to time by the GVS&DD and includes any person appointed or designated to act in his or her place;
 - (w) **“Mattresses”** means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises a case of canvas or other heavy cloth stuffed with wool, cotton, other fibers or similar material, with or without coiled springs, that was used as a bed or as support for a bed;
 - (x) **“Municipal Solid Waste”** means Refuse that originates from residential, light industrial, commercial, institutional, demolition, land clearing or construction sources or Refuse specified to be included in the GVS&DD’s solid waste management plan pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;
 - (y) **“Occupational Health and Safety Regulation”** means the *Occupational Health and Safety Regulation* B.C. Reg. 296/97 enacted pursuant to the *Workers Compensation Act*;
 - (z) **“Peak Hours”** means from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm on Monday through Friday inclusive;
 - (aa) **“Prohibited Material”** means Refuse listed under Schedule “C”;
 - (bb) **“Radioactive Waste”** means waste defined as radioactive waste pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;
 - (cc) **“Reactive Waste”** means waste defined as reactive waste pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;
 - (dd) **“Recyclable Paper”** means Municipal Solid Waste manufactured from thin sheets from wood pulp or other fibrous substances that may be converted into reusable materials and includes newspapers and inserts, magazines, telephone directories, catalogues, office papers, envelopes, boxboard, paper bags and mail, but excludes photographic paper, carbon paper, tissue paper,

paper napkins or towels, paper that is adhered to plastic or metal, composite paper products such as tetrapak containers, gable-top paper containers such as milk cartons, or paper that is covered or infused with wax;

- (ee) **“Recycling Area”** means those parts of a Disposal Site or Vancouver Disposal Site designated for Gypsum, Green Waste, Clean Wood Waste, Mattresses and the specific materials, substances and objects that comprise Source-Separated Recyclables;
- (ff) **“Recycling Regulation”** means the *Recycling Regulation*, B.C. Reg. 449/2004 enacted pursuant to the *Environmental Management Act*;
- (gg) **“Refuse”** means discarded or abandoned materials, substances or objects;
- (hh) **“Regional Services Rate”** means the fee charged by the GVS&DD for solid waste management related services that the GVS&DD provides for the benefit of the entire area of the GVS&DD including, but not limited to, system analysis and planning, regulation and enforcement, demolition, land clearing and construction waste management, recycling and sustainability initiatives, public education, communication and administration;
- (ii) **“Source-Separated Recyclables”** means Municipal Solid Waste that has been sorted by material, substance or object and that satisfies at least one of the following criteria:
 - (i) is managed as a marketable commodity with an established market by the owner or operator of the Disposal Site, including Recyclable Paper, Corrugated Cardboard, glass and metal;
 - (ii) is being used in the manufacture of a new product that has an established market or is being processed as an intermediate stage of an existing manufacturing process; or
 - (iii) has been identified as a recyclable material in the GVS&DD’s solid waste management plan;but does not include Green Waste, Clean Wood Waste, Mattresses or Gypsum;
- (jj) **“Surcharge”** means the cost charged by the GVS&DD, in addition to the applicable Tipping Fee, for depositing Banned Recyclable Materials or Prohibited Materials at Disposal Sites;
- (kk) **“Tipping Fee”** means the fee charged by the GVS&DD for depositing Municipal Solid Waste at Disposal Sites, which fee includes the applicable Regional Services Rate;
- (ll) **“Treasurer”** means the person appointed to the position of Treasurer from time to time by the GVS&DD and includes any person appointed or designated to act in his or her place;

- (mm) **“Treated Wood Waste”** means Municipal Solid Waste that comprises solid wood, plywood, particle board or oriented strand board that has been painted, stained, treated or that it is coated in residue from form work or similar contamination;
- (nn) **“Unmarketable”** means a material, substance or object that cannot be sold or otherwise disposed of through an existing recycling program or a commercial market; and
- (oo) **“Vancouver Disposal Site”** means either of the following Municipal Solid Waste disposal facilities that are owned or operated by the City of Vancouver:
 - (i) Vancouver Landfill located at 5400 72nd Street, Delta; and
 - (ii) Vancouver South Transfer Station, Recycling Depot and Yard Trimmings Drop-off located at 377 West Kent Avenue North, Vancouver.

4.0 Restrictions and Prohibitions

- 4.1 No person shall dispose of any material, substance or object at a Disposal Site except in accordance with this Bylaw.
- 4.2 No person shall dispose of any Prohibited Material at a Disposal Site.
- 4.3 No person shall dispose of any Loads that emit odours, fumes or particulate matter (such as dust) that causes or is capable of causing material discomfort to a person at a Disposal Site.
- 4.4 No person shall dispose of any Loads dominated by oily materials, substances or objects at a Disposal Site.
- 4.5 Despite sections 4.3 and 4.4, the Manager may authorize Loads that:
 - (a) emit odours, fumes or particulate matter (such as dust) that causes or is capable of causing material discomfort to a person; or
 - (b) are dominated by oily materials, substances or objects,to be accepted at the Waste-to-Energy facility.
- 4.6 No person shall dispose of any Gypsum or Mattresses at the Waste to Energy Facility.
- 4.7 No person shall dispose of any Gypsum at a Disposal Site:
 - (a) except at a Recycling Area designated for Gypsum; and
 - (b) unless the Load of Gypsum weighs one-half (1/2) tonne or less.

- 4.8 No person shall dispose of Mattresses at a Disposal Site:
- (a) except at a Recycling Area designated for Mattresses;
 - (b) unless the Load of Mattresses comprises four (4) or fewer Mattresses; and
 - (c) unless the person pays a Tipping Fee for each Mattress in the amount set out in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw.
- 4.9 No person shall dispose of Municipal Solid Waste at a Disposal Site unless it originates from within the boundaries of GVS&DD's member municipalities.
- 4.10 Despite section 4.9, the Board may authorize the Manager to accept Municipal Solid Waste at a Disposal Site, including International Waste, that originates from outside the boundaries of GVS&DD's member municipalities.
- 4.11 No person shall enter a Disposal Site with a Load unless the Load is tied, tarped, covered or otherwise secured to prevent any Municipal Solid Waste from escaping while the vehicle is in motion or at a standstill.
- 4.12 The Manager may prohibit a person who contravenes this Bylaw from disposing of Municipal Solid Waste at any Disposal Site for such period as the Manager may determine.

5.0 Tipping Fees and Surcharges

- 5.1 Every person disposing of Municipal Solid Waste at a Disposal Site must pay to the GVS&DD the applicable Tipping Fees and Surcharges in the amounts set out in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw.
- 5.2 If a person attends a Disposal Site with a Load that contains Source-Separated Recyclables, Green Waste, Clean Wood Waste, Gypsum and/or other Municipal Solid Waste and the person chooses not to weigh-out after disposing of each part of the Load, namely the Source-Separated Recyclables, Green Waste, Clean Wood Waste, Gypsum and/or other Municipal Solid Waste, at the designated Recycling Areas, then the person must pay to the GVS&DD a Tipping Fee for the entire Load that is based on the highest fee payable for any part of the Load, in the amounts set out in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw, together with any applicable Surcharges.
- 5.3 In addition to the Tipping Fees and Surcharges set out in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw, every person who disposes of a Load at a Disposal Site located within the Fraser Valley Regional District must pay the applicable FVRD Levy when disposing of the Load.
- 5.4 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Disposal Site that contains a quantity of Banned Recyclable Materials that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amounts set out in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw.

- 5.5 Every person who disposes of a Load at a Disposal Site that contains Contaminated Recyclable Paper that exceeds either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load must pay a Surcharge in the amounts set out in Schedule “B” of this Bylaw.
- 5.6 Every person who disposes of a quantity of Prohibited Material must pay a Surcharge in the amount set out in Schedule “B” of this Bylaw.
- 5.7 Despite sections 5.4 and 5.5, in the event of an Emergency, the Manager may waive the Surcharges that would normally be payable for Loads that contain Banned Recyclable Materials or Contaminated Recyclable Paper.
- 5.8 Despite section 5.6, for three months from the date an item is added to any product category described in a schedule to the *Recycling Regulation* and becomes a Prohibited Material under this Bylaw, the Manager may waive the Surcharge that would normally be payable for disposing of such item.
- 5.9 All Tipping Fees and Surcharges payable pursuant to this Bylaw must be paid to the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District before the person leaves the Disposal Site.
- 5.10 Despite section 5.9 of this Bylaw, a person who disposes of Municipal Solid Waste at a Disposal Site on a regular basis may apply to the GVS&DD for a customer charge account in accordance with Schedule “E” to this Bylaw.
- 5.11 In the event the weigh scale system at a Disposal Site is not functioning, whether due to a power outage, mechanical failure or any other reason, at his or her discretion the Manager may either:
- (a) close the Disposal Site until the weigh scale system is functioning; or
 - (b) permit a person to dispose of a single Load at the Disposal Site subject to the following:
 - (i) the Load must not measure more than 0.5 cubic metres in volume; and
 - (ii) the flat fee Tipping Fees set out in Schedule “B” of this Bylaw will apply to the Load.

6.0 Regional Services Rate

- 6.1 The Regional Services Rate is \$0.60 per flat fee charged or \$0.06 per 10 kilograms or \$6.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater, for every Load of Garbage deposited at a Disposal Site or at a Vancouver Disposal Site.
- 6.2 In addition to any fees and charges levied by the City of Vancouver, every person disposing of Municipal Solid Waste at a Vancouver Disposal Site must pay the applicable Regional Services Rate to the City of Vancouver.
- 6.3 The City of Vancouver must:

- (a) record the number of Loads and tonnage deposited at a Vancouver Disposal Site that originate from the Corporation of Delta and provide such information to both the GVS&DD and the Corporation of Delta;
 - (b) collect the applicable Regional Services Rate for every Load that is deposited at a Vancouver Disposal Site except for residential curbside Loads that originate from the Corporation of Delta;
 - (c) establish and maintain a separate account for the Regional Services Rate monies collected by the City of Vancouver under this Bylaw and deposit and hold those monies in that separate account in trust for the GVSⅅ
 - (d) on or before July 30 of each year, remit to the GVS&DD the total amount of Regional Services Rate monies collected between January 1 and June 30 of that year based on an invoice provided by GVS&DD that explains the amount due; and
 - (e) on or before January 31 of each year, remit to the GVS&DD the total amount of Regional Services Rate monies collected between July 1 and December 31 of that year based on an invoice provided by GVS&DD that explains the amount due.
- 6.4 If the City of Vancouver fails or neglects, for any reason, to collect all or any part of the Regional Services Rate monies payable under this Bylaw, then the City of Vancouver must pay to the GVS&DD an amount equal to the Regional Services Rate monies that the City of Vancouver should have collected and remitted under this Bylaw.
- 6.5 The City of Vancouver must retain, for a period of at least four years, sufficient information to support the records referred to in section 6.3.
- 6.6 During normal business hours for the City of Vancouver and subject to first giving reasonable notice to the City of Vancouver, the GVS&DD may inspect any and all records of the City of Vancouver relating to the calculation and collection by the City of Vancouver of the Regional Services Rate levied under this Bylaw. The City of Vancouver shall permit the GVS&DD's employees or agents to inspect the records referred to above and to make and take away copies of those records.
- 6.7 The Corporation of Delta must:
- (a) pay the equivalent of the Regional Services Rate for every residential curbside Load that is deposited at a Vancouver Disposal Site and that originates from the Corporation of Delta (**the "Delta Regional Services Charge"**);
 - (b) on or before July 30 of each year, remit to the GVS&DD the Delta Regional Services Charge calculated for between January 1 and June 30 of that year based on an invoice provided by GVS&DD that explains the amount due; and

(c) on or before January 31 of each year, remit to the GVS&DD the total amount of the Delta Regional Services Charge calculated for between July 1 and December 31 of that year based on an invoice provided by GVS&DD that explains the amount due.

6.8 The Corporation of Delta must retain, for a period of at least four years, sufficient information to support the records referred to in section 6.7.

6.9 During normal business hours for the Corporation of Delta and subject to first giving reasonable notice to the Corporation of Delta, the GVS&DD may inspect any and all records of the Corporation of Delta relating to the calculation of the Delta Regional Services Charge levied under this Bylaw. The City of Vancouver shall permit the GVS&DD's employees or agents to inspect the records referred to above and to make and take away copies of those records.

7.0 Interpretation

7.1 If a portion of this Bylaw is held to be invalid it shall be severed and the remainder of the Bylaw shall remain in effect.

7.2 In this Bylaw, the word "person" includes a corporation.

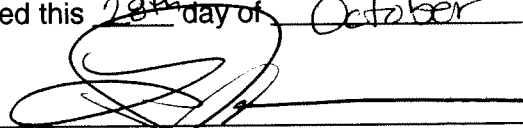
7.3 Schedules "A", "B", "C", "D" and "E" are attached to and form part of this Bylaw.

8.0 Effective Date

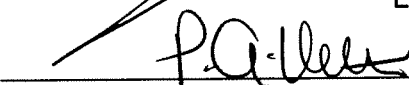
8.1 This Bylaw comes into force and takes effect on January 1, 2012.

Read a first, second and third time this 28th day of October 2011.

Reconsidered, passed and finally adopted this 28th day of October 2011.



Lois E. Jackson, Chair



Paulette A. Vetleson, Secretary

DISPOSAL SITES

- Coquitlam Resource Recovery Plant located at 1200 United Boulevard, Coquitlam
- North Shore Transfer Station located at 30 Riverside Drive, North Vancouver
- Surrey Transfer Station located at 9770 192nd Street, Surrey
- Langley Residential Transfer Station located at 1070 272 Street, Langley
- Maple Ridge Residential Transfer Station located at 10092 236 Street, Maple Ridge
- Matsqui Transfer Station located at 33621 Valley Road, Abbotsford
- Waste-to-Energy Facility located at 5150 Riverbend Drive, Burnaby

2012 TIPPING FEES AND SURCHARGES*

Tipping Fees for Garbage

Originating from the District of Maple Ridge:

\$10.00 flat fee or \$1.11 per 10 kilograms or \$111.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Originating from the City of Abbotsford:

\$10.00 flat fee or \$1.07 per 10 kilograms or \$107.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater, plus the applicable FVRD Levy *

Deposited at Coquitlam Resource Recovery Plant, North Shore Transfer Station and Surrey Transfer Station during Peak Hours:

\$20.00 flat fee or \$1.07 per 10 kilograms or \$107.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

All other Loads of Garbage:

\$10.00 flat fee or \$1.07 per 10 kilograms or \$107.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Tipping Fees for Green Waste

Deposited at Recycling Areas designated for Green Waste:

\$6.00 flat fee or \$0.63 per 10 kilograms or \$63.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Tipping Fees for Clean Wood Waste

Deposited at Recycling Areas designated for Clean Wood Waste:

\$6.00 flat fee or \$0.63 per 10 kilograms or \$63.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Tipping Fees for Gypsum

Loads comprising two 1.22 metre x 2.44 metre sheets or less deposited at a Recycling Area designated for Gypsum:

\$10.00 flat fee or \$1.07 per 10 kilograms or \$107.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Loads comprising more than two 1.22 metre x 2.44 metre sheets deposited at a Recycling Area designated for Gypsum:

\$15.00 flat fee or \$1.50 per 10 kilograms or \$150.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Tipping Fees for Mattresses

Deposited at a Recycling Area designated for Mattresses:

\$20.00 flat fee for each Mattress

Tipping Fees for International Waste

International Waste:

\$50.00 flat fee or \$2.00 per 10 kilograms or \$200.00 per tonne, whichever amount is greater

Tipping Fees for Source Separated Recyclables

Source-Separated Recyclables deposited at Recycling Areas designated for such materials, substances and objects:

No Charge

Surcharges

Prohibited Material:

\$50 Surcharge plus the cost of removal, clean-up and remediation

Banned Recyclable Materials in excess of either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load:

50% of the applicable Tipping Fee

Contaminated Recyclable Paper in excess of either 5% of the total weight of the Load or 5% of the total volume of the Load:

50% of applicable Tipping Fee

***Note:** As per section 5.3 of this Bylaw, in addition to the Tipping Fees and Surcharges set out in this Schedule, every person depositing a Load at the Matsqui Transfer Station must pay the applicable FVRD Levy when depositing the Load.

PROHIBITED MATERIALS

- (a) Agricultural Waste;
- (b) Automobile parts and bodies;
- (c) Biomedical Waste;
- (d) Refuse that is on fire, smouldering, flammable or explosive;
- (e) Empty oil containers identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (f) Oil filters identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (g) Paint products identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (h) Pesticide products identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (i) Pharmaceutical products identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (j) Solvents and flammable liquids identified in "Schedule 2 — Residual Product Categories" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (k) Electronic and electrical products identified in "Schedule 3 — Electronic and Electrical Product Category" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (l) Tires identified in "Schedule 4 — Tire Product Category" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (m) Hazardous Waste;
- (n) Inert fill material including soil, sod, gravel, concrete and asphalt exceeding 0.5 cubic metres per load;
- (o) Lead acid batteries;
- (p) Liquids;
- (q) Sludges;
- (r) Metal household or commercial appliances;

- (s) Dead animals;
- (t) Excrement;
- (u) 45 gallon or larger barrels or drums, whether full or empty;
- (v) Radioactive Waste;
- (w) Reactive Waste;
- (x) Any single object that:
 - 1. weighs more than 100 kilograms; or
 - 2. exceeds 3 500 centimetres squared in cross section at any point; or
 - 3. exceeds 2.5 metres in length.
- (y) Clean Wood Waste or Treated Wood Waste exceeding 2.5 metres in length
- (z) Fabricated objects exceeding 1.2 metres in width or thickness and 2.5 metres in length or 3 cubic metres in volume
- (aa) Gypsum commingled with other Municipal Solid Waste;
- (bb) Mattresses commingled with other Municipal Solid Waste;
- (cc) Refuse that would cause undue risk of injury or occupational disease to any person at the Disposal Site or that would otherwise contravene the *Occupational Health and Safety Regulation*;
- (dd) Any other Refuse that the Manager considers unsuitable for handling at a Disposal Site.

BANNED RECYCLABLE MATERIALS

- (a) Beverage containers identified in "Schedule 1 — Beverage Container Product Category" to the *Recycling Regulation*;
- (b) Containers made of metal, glass or Banned Recyclable Plastic;
- (c) Corrugated Cardboard;
- (d) Recyclable Paper; and
- (e) Green Waste.

CUSTOMER CHARGE ACCOUNTS

- 1) Any person wishing to establish a customer charge account with the GVS&DD must complete the GVS&DD's application for credit ("**Application for Credit**").
- 2) The Treasurer may approve the Application for Credit on behalf of the GVS&DD and establish a commercial charge account for a person for up to one million dollars (\$1,000,000).
- 3) Any two of the Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner and Treasurer may approve the Application for Credit on behalf of the GVS&DD and establish a commercial charge account for a person for up to two million dollars (\$2,000,000).
- 4) If the GVS&DD approves a person's Application for Credit and establishes a commercial charge account, then:
 - a) the person may leave the Disposal Site before paying the applicable Tipping Fees and Surcharges; and
 - b) the GVS&DD will generate invoices for Tipping Fees and Surcharges on a monthly basis for up to the established commercial charge account limit, which invoices are payable on receipt.
- 5) Where a person fails or refuses to pay an invoice for Tipping Fees and Surcharges within thirty-five (35) days, then the Treasurer may rescind their customer charge account and the person must:
 - a) pay interest on the Tipping Fee or Surcharge at the rate of 1.25% per month (15% per year) compounded monthly and calculated daily on all amounts overdue, including all overdue interest from the date the charge was due to the date of payment; and
 - b) not dispose of any Municipal Solid Waste at a Disposal Site until any outstanding invoice has been paid in full.