THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF CENTRAL SAANICH

BYLAW NO. 2259

A Bylaw to Amend the Fire Services Operational Bylaw.

The Council of the District of Central Saanich, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. Section 36 is hereby replaced with the following:

   Where the Department is required to undertake a re- inspection of any Public Building, premises or structures as a result of a deficiency arising from an initial or any subsequent inspection, a charge may be levied for such re-inspection or further re-inspection, in accordance with the District of Central Saanich Fees and Charges Bylaw.

2. Section 44 is hereby replaced with the following:

   The Department may charge for the cost of conducting a Fire Investigation, reviewing a Fire Safety Plan or other use of Department services and resources, in each case in accordance with District of Central Saanich Fees and Charges Bylaw. The Department may recover from the owner of the property where an Incident has occurred, and/or from the person responsible for the Incident, the costs incurred of any third-party assistance received in relation to responding to or mitigating such Incident. Where an Incident involves a spill or release of hazardous materials, the Department may recover from the person responsible for such hazardous materials, the cost of the response plus the cost of repairing or replacing of Apparatus or other equipment of the Department damaged or contaminated during the response.

3. Section 53 is hereby replaced with the following:

   Any person who violates any provision of section 52 hereof may, in addition to any other penalty, be removed from the scene of an Incident by a peace officer or the Fire Chief, an Officer or Incident Commander (or their designate).

4. Section 54 is hereby replaced with the following:

   Any person who damages Apparatus in contravention of subsection 52(c) hereof, in addition to any other penalty, shall be liable for the cost of repairing or replacing the Apparatus.

2. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the **"Fire Services Operational Bylaw, Amendment Bylaw No. 1, 2259, 2026".**

READ A FIRST TIME this	day of	2026.
READ A SECOND TIME this	day of	2026.
READ A THIRD TIME this	day of	2026.
ADOPTED this	day of	2026.

Ryan Windsor
Mayor

Emilie Gorman
Director of Corporate Services/Corporate Officer