

CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE
BYLAW NO. 8918

A Bylaw of the City of Prince George to amend the City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007.

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of Section 479 of the *Local Government Act*, in relation to zoning, the Council of the City of Prince George is empowered to make regulations thereto;

AND WHEREAS "City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007" has been adopted to make regulations thereto;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the City of Prince George has deemed it desirable that Section 3.2 Offense and Penalty be and Section 3.3 Fine Schedule be amended;

AND WHEREAS a Public Hearing was held in accordance with the *Local Government Act* and notice of such hearing was given as required by Bylaw;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Prince George, in open meeting assembled, **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That "City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007", be amended as follows:

- a) Delete Section 3.2 – OFFENSE AND PENALTY in its entirety and replace with the following:

"Section 3.2 OFFENCE AND PENALTY

- 3.2.1 This Bylaw may enforced,
 - a) by an Information laid in accordance with the *Offence Act*;
 - b) by a Bylaw Notice in accordance with the "*Local Government Bylaw Notice Enforcement Act*"; or
 - c) by a combination of the above noted methods in a) or b).
- 3.2.2 With respect to enforcement further to a Bylaw Notice issued pursuant to the *Local Government Bylaw Notice Enforcement Act*, the fines outlined in Schedule "B" of the "City of Prince George Bylaw Notice Enforcement Bylaw No. 8813, 2016", as amended or replaced from time to time, shall apply.

3.2.3 Except as otherwise provided in this Bylaw or the "City of Prince George Bylaw Notice Enforcement Bylaw No. 8813, 2016", and amendments thereto, any person who violates any of the provisions of this Bylaw or who suffers or permits any act or thing to be done in contravention of this Bylaw, or who refuses, or omits or neglects to fulfill, observe, carryout or perform any duty or obligation imposed by the Bylaw shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not less than Two Thousand (\$2000.00) and not exceeding Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), the cost of prosecution and any other penalty or order imposed pursuant to the *Community Charter, S.B.C., 2003, c.26* or the *Offence Act, R.S.B.C., 1996, c.338*.

3.2.4 Each day that an offence against the Bylaw continues or exists shall be deemed to be a separate and distinct offence."

b) Delete Section 3.3 Fine Schedule in its entirety.

- 2. That the Mayor and Corporate Officer are hereby empowered to do all things necessary to give effect to this Bylaw.
- 3. That this Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the "City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 8918, 2017".

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 4th DAY OF DECEMBER , 2017.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 4th DAY OF DECEMBER , 2017.

First Two readings passed by a **UNANIMOUS** decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.

READ A THIRD TIME THIS 18th DAY OF DECEMBER , 2017.

Third Reading passed by a **UNANIMOUS** decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.

Certified correct as passed Third Reading, this 19 day of December , 2017.


 DEPUTY CORPORATE OFFICER OF
 THE CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE

ADOPTED THIS DAY OF , 2018, BY A
ELIGIBLE TO VOTE. DECISION OF ALL MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL PRESENT AND

MAYOR

DEPUTY CORPORATE OFFICER