

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DUNCAN

BYLAW NO. 1955

Intermunicipal Business License
Agreement Bylaw 2003, No. 1955.

The Council of the Corporation of the City of Duncan in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:


1. The Mayor and Clerk are authorized to execute the "Intermunicipal Business License Agreement" as set out in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of this bylaw.
2. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the "Intermunicipal Business License Agreement Bylaw 2003, No. 1955".

READ THE FIRST TIME on the 26th day of May, 2003.

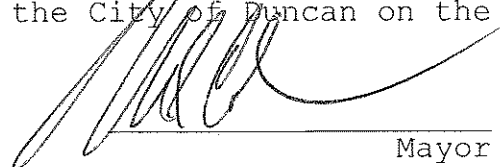
READ THE SECOND TIME on the 26th day of May, 2003.

READ THE THIRD TIME on the 26th day of May, 2003.

RECONSIDERED, FINALLY PASSED and ADOPTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Duncan on the 9th day of June, 2003.



Clerk of the Municipal
Council of the Corporation of
the City of Duncan



Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of Bylaw No. 1955 of the Corporation of the City of Duncan, being the "Intermunicipal Business License Agreement Bylaw 2003, No. 1955" reconsidered, finally passed and adopted by the Municipal Council on the 9th day of June, 2003.

Dated at Duncan, B. C.
this day of
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City Clerk.

SCHEDULE "A"
to City of Duncan Bylaw 2003, No. 1955

Intermunicipal Business License Agreement

Between:

The City of Duncan
The Town of Ladysmith
The Town of Lake Cowichan
The District of North Cowichan

(Referred to as the "Participating Municipality/s")

The Participating Municipalities agree, pursuant to section 662 of the Local Government Act, as follows:

1. A Participating Municipality may issue an intermunicipal business license to an applicant for a license to carry on a business.
2. A holder of an intermunicipal business license may, during the term of the license, carry on the business authorized by the license within the boundaries of all of the Participating Municipalities.
3. An applicant from a non-Participating Municipality or regional district may apply for an intermunicipal business license from any Participating Municipality.
4. An applicant for an intermunicipal business license must apply to the municipality where the business is located, and in the case of multiple business premises, must obtain a separate business license from each municipality.
5. The minimum fee for an intermunicipal business license is \$100 and will be retained by the Participating Municipality that issues the license.
6. Every intermunicipal business license must be issued in a form to be agreed to from time to time by the managers responsible for business licensing in each of the Participating Municipalities.
7. Each Participating Municipality must provide the other Participating Municipalities from time to time, or as requested by a Participating Municipality, with a list of intermunicipal business licenses that have been issued, and a cumulative list for the calendar year.
8. Nothing in this agreement affects the authority of a Participating Municipality to refuse, suspend or revoke a license issued by it, or to enact and enforce business regulations.
9. If a Participating Municipality refuses, suspends or revokes an intermunicipal business license, it must notify the Participating Municipalities as soon as possible.
10. If a Participating Municipality considers the holder of an intermunicipal business license to be guilty of misconduct in respect of the business, it may request the Participating Municipality that issued the license to suspend or revoke the license.

11. In making a request under the previous section, a Participating Municipality must provide information, documentation and other evidence of the misconduct to the Participating Municipality that issued the license.
12. A Participating Municipality must provide written notice to the other Participating Municipality of its intention to withdraw from the intermunicipal business license agreement, along with a copy of the bylaw repealing the provision of the intermunicipal business license scheme from its business license bylaw.
13. Each Participating Municipality must take all necessary actions and pass all necessary resolutions and bylaws to give effect to and comply with the intentions and provisions of this agreement.
14. This agreement comes into effect on January 1, 2004.

Signed and delivered on behalf of the Participating Municipalities, the councils of each of which have, by bylaw, adopted this agreement and authorized their signatories to sign on behalf of the respective councils, on the dates indicated below.

The City of Duncan:

Mayor _____
Clerk _____
Date _____

The Town of Ladysmith:

Mayor _____
Clerk _____
Date _____

The Town of Lake Cowichan:

Mayor _____
Clerk _____
Date _____

The Corporation of the District of North Cowichan:

Mayor _____
Clerk _____
Date _____