



HAMLET OF GJOA HAVEN

BYLAW # 247 Municipal Dump Regulation Bylaw

A bylaw of the Municipal Corporation of the hamlet of Gjoa Haven, Nunavut to establish a levy charge for use of the municipal dump, pursuant to the provisions of the Hamlets Act, R.S.N.W.T., 1988, c.H-1, s.169 as amended by S. Nu.2003, c.3.

WHEREAS THE Hamlet of Gjoa Haven deems it expedient to regulate the dumping of garbage within municipal boundaries by personnel other than Hamlet employees and;

The rates for use of the municipal dump have not been amended since 1994;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven at a duly assembled meeting enacts as follows:

SHORT TITLE

1. This By-law may be cited as the **"Municipal Dump Regulation Bylaw"**.

INTERPRETATION

2. In this Bylaw:

"council"	means the council of the Municipal Corporation of the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven.
"Hamlet"	means The Municipal Corporation of the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven.
"CAO"	means the Hamlet's Chief Administrative Officer or their delegate
"user"	means a government user, commercial user, or non-commercial user.
"permit"	means a permit issued by the Hamlet as per attached Schedule A.
"garbage"	means garbage, refuse or other waste
"garbage service"	means the pick-up and disposal of garbage
"commercial user"	means a commercial or industrial firm, organization, company,

	partnership, or sole proprietorship, whether incorporated or unincorporated, which uses garbage services.
"government user"	means the government of Canada, any Territorial or Provincial Government, the RCMP, Crown Corporations, Nunavut Institutes of Public Governance, the Hamlet or any of their agencies, which use garbage services
"community member"	means any resident of Gjoa Haven using the municipal dump for excess from their personal non-commercial use or residence
"excess garbage"	means any garbage not stowed in the barrels or other containers provided
"schedule"	means a schedule attached to and forming part of this bylaw

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Subject to the provisions of this bylaw

3. No person, commercial user or government user shall use a municipal dump unless authorized to do so by a permit issued by the Hamlet, signed by the CAO.
4. Any person, commercial or government users disposing of garbage at a municipal dump must do so in restricted areas identified by the Hamlet.
5. No person, commercial or government user shall burn garbage unless authorized to do so by the Hamlet.
6. The hours of operation for the dump shall be as authorized and approved by Council.
7. No person, commercial user or government user shall use a municipal dump outside of dump hours of operation unless authorized to do so by the CAO
8. The CAO, subject to approval of the Council, may require deposits or prepayments for estimated tipping fees.

PAYMENT AND PENALTIES

9. Cost of permits and penalty for non-compliance is outlined in schedule A
10. Penalty for non-compliance is outlined in Schedule B

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

11. Bylaw # 67 is hereby repealed
12. This by-law shall come into effect on the date of third and final reading by the Municipal Council and sealed by the Hamlet of Gjoa Haven.

Read a first time this 29th day of May, 2025.

BYLAW # 247 SCHEDULE A - RATES SCHEDULE

All users, authorized by permit, to dump garbage at the municipal dump must first pay the following rates.

Fee	Government and business	Community members
Per Tonne	\$100	\$50
Per Tandem Axle Dump Truck Load	\$250	\$125
Per Pick up truck cargo box	\$50	\$25

BYLAW # 247 SCHEDULE B - PENALTY FOR NON-COMPLIANCE

Any user found to have left one or more loads of garbage at the municipal dump or in any location outside of the municipal dump without a permit, outside of business hours, or otherwise in non-compliance with this bylaw, is subject to a fine not to exceed the following rates:

1. For a community member – up to a maximum of \$1500 per load (as estimated by the CAO or delegate)
2. For a commercial or government user, up to a maximum fine of \$7,500 per load (as estimated by the CAO or delegate)

Any person found to have burned garbage at the dump is subject to a fine not to exceed \$5,000.

Read a second time this 27th day of May, 2025.

Ryan O'Connell
Mayor

J. Walker
Chief Administrative Officer

Read a third time this 27th day of May, 2025.

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