

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF SALMO
BYLAW #541

A BYLAW TO AUTHORIZE THE DISCONTINUANCE OF A MUNICIPAL SERVICE

WHEREAS section 18 of the *Community Charter* (SBC Chapter 26) authorizes Council to establish circumstances in which it may discontinue providing a service, and

WHEREAS Council deems it necessary to establish circumstances in which a municipal service may be discontinued,

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Village of Salmo, in open meeting assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

SHORT TITLE

1. (1) This Bylaw may be cited as the "**SERVICE DISCONTINUANCE BYLAW**"

CIRCUMSTANCES FOR DISCONTINUANCE

2. (1) Council may authorize the discontinuance of any service provided by the Village pursuant to an authorizing bylaw or a contractual agreement subject to the following conditions:
- a) the service is used for a purpose or purposes other than permitted pursuant to the authorizing bylaw or the contractual agreement, or
 - b) fees or charges invoiced by the Village for a service provided by, or on behalf of the Village, remain unpaid in part or in full ninety (90) days following the date of the invoice, and the outstanding fees or charges cannot be added to the property tax account of the beneficiary of the service.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), before discontinuing a service the Village shall give the notice of discontinuance by registered mail to the recipient of the service, and if the unauthorized use has not been terminated, or the fees or charges remain unpaid in part or in full, thirty (30) days following the date of mailing of the registered notice, the service shall be discontinued without further notice.

ENACTMENT

3. (1) If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Bylaw is for any reason held to be invalid by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid portion shall be severed and the part that is invalid shall not affect the validity of the remainder.
- (2) This Bylaw shall come into full force and effect on final adoption.

READ A FIRST TIME
READ A SECOND TIME
READ A THIRD TIME
RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED

this 12th day of April, 2005
this 12th day of April, 2005
this 12th day of April, 2005
this 26th day of April, 2005

Mayor

Village Clerk

Certified a true copy of Bylaw #541, as adopted.

Village Clerk