

**METRO VANCOUVER REGIONAL DISTRICT**  
**BYLAW NO. 1350, 2022**  
**A Bylaw to amend “Greater Vancouver Regional District Agricultural Boilers Emission Regulation**  
**Bylaw No. 1098, 2008”**

**WHEREAS:**

- A. The Metro Vancouver Regional District has enacted the “Greater Vancouver Regional District Air Quality Management Bylaw No. 1082, 2008”;
- B. That Bylaw contemplates that the Board of the Metro Vancouver Regional District may establish emission regulations and fees;
- C. The Metro Vancouver Regional District has enacted the “Metro Vancouver Regional District Air Quality Management Fees Regulation Bylaw No. 1330, 2021”;
- D. The Metro Vancouver Regional District has enacted the “Greater Vancouver Regional District Agricultural Boilers Emission Regulation Bylaw No. 1098, 2008”; and
- E. The Board of the Metro Vancouver Regional District wishes to amend the “Greater Vancouver Regional District Agricultural Boilers Emission Regulation Bylaw No. 1098, 2008”.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Board of Directors of the Metro Vancouver Regional District enacts as follows:

**Citation**

- 1. The official citation of this bylaw is “Metro Vancouver Regional District Agricultural Boilers Emission Regulation Amendment Bylaw No. 1350, 2022”.

**Effective Date**

- 2. This bylaw will come into effect on January 1, 2024.

**Amendment of Bylaw**

- 3. “Greater Vancouver Regional District Agricultural Boilers Emission Regulation Bylaw No. 1098, 2008”, as amended, is amended as follows:
  - a) Section 12 is deleted and replaced with the following:
    - 12. Each year, each registered operator of a boiler must pay to the District a fee of \$250 plus the total emission fees calculated in accordance with Appendix 1 for each calendar year or portion thereof, payable by April 1 of each calendar year, or upon registration if registration occurs after April 1 of that year.
  - b) Appendix 1 is amended by deleting Table 1 and replacing with the following:

**Table 1 – Air Contaminant Emission Fees per Tonne of Air Contaminant**

Column 1	Column 2				
Air contaminant	Emission fee per tonne of air contaminant				
	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028 and later
Fine Particulate Matter (PM <sub>2.5</sub> )	\$943	\$1,157	\$1,371	\$1,586	\$1,800
Nitrogen Oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> )	\$93	\$107	\$121	\$136	\$150

c) Section 2 in Appendix 1 is amended by adding the following subsection:

- (3) For the purposes of calculating air contaminant emission fees, condensable particulate matter and filterable particulate matter are deemed to be fine particulate matter.

Read a first, second and third time this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of JUNE, 2023.

Passed and finally adopted this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of JUNE, 2023.

George V. Harvie, Chair

Dorothy Shermer, Corporate Officer