

CITY OF VICTORIA

STANDARD FORMS FOR STATUTORY RIGHTS OF WAY

SCHEDULE F

TO BYLAW NO. 12-042

Victoria Subdivision and Development Servicing  
Bylaw



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## Statutory Right of Way

### TERMS OF INSTRUMENT - PART 2

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#### WHEREAS:

- A. The Transferor is the registered owner in fee simple of the following land in the Province of British Columbia:
- (the "**Lands**")
- B. The Transferee is the Corporation of the City of Victoria;
- C. This Right of Way is necessary for the operation and maintenance of the Transferee's undertaking as described in Recital D; and
- D. To facilitate the installation of a system of waterworks/sewerage works/drainage works including all related pipes, valves, fittings, facilities, equipment, power lines, wires, pumps, building, kiosks, treatment plants, signage, outfalls, culverts and appurtenants (the "**Works**"), the Transferor has agreed to permit the construction by the Transferee of the Works on a portion of the Lands and to grant for that purpose the Right of Way in Section 1.1.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar of lawful money of Canada, now paid by the Transferee to the Transferor (the receipt and sufficiency of which is now acknowledged by the Transferor), and in consideration of the covenants and conditions agreed to be observed and performed by the parties and for other valuable consideration:

#### 1.0 THE TRANSFEROR:

- 1.1 Pursuant to Section 218 of the *Land Title Act*, hereby grants, conveys, confirms and transfers, in perpetuity, to the Transferee the full, free and uninterrupted right, license, liberty, privilege, easement, permission and right of way to lay down, install, erect, construct, entrench, operate, maintain, repair, inspect, alter, remove, replace, bury, cleanse, string, and otherwise establish one or more systems of Works upon, over, under and across that part of the Lands shown outlined in bold on the Statutory Right of Way Plan prepared by \_\_\_\_\_ BCLS, and filed in the Land Title Office under Plan No. \_\_\_\_\_ (the "**Right of Way**");
- 1.2 Covenants and agrees to and with the Transferee that the Transferee shall:
- (a) for itself and its agents, workers, contractors and all other licensees of the Transferee;
  - (b) together with machinery, vehicles, equipment, and materials;

- (c) upon, over, under and across the Right of Way;
- (d) as may be necessary, useful, or convenient for the purposes in Section 1.1; and
- (e) in connection with the operations of the Transferee in relation to the Works;

be entitled at all times to enter, use, pass and repass, labour, construct, erect, install, dig, carry away soil or other surface or subsurface materials, and clear of all trees, growth, buildings or obstructions now or hereafter in existence upon, over, under and across the Right of Way;

- 1.3 Grants, conveys, confirms and transfers unto the Transferee for itself, and its employees, agents, workers, contractors and all other licensees of the Transferee together with machinery, vehicles, equipment and materials, the right at all times to enter upon and to pass and repass over such of the Lands of the Transferor as may reasonably be required for the purpose of ingress to and egress from the Right of Way;
- 1.4 Transfers, assigns and conveys to the Transferee all right, title and interest in and to any Works that the Transferee, or the Transferor have prior to this Agreement established or constructed or maintained or operated within the Right of Way or in relation to any similar Works previously constructed by any party whatsoever within the Right of Way;
- 1.5 Grants unto the Transferee the license, permission, easement and Right of Way to lay down, install, erect, construct, operate, maintain, repair, inspect, alter, remove, replace, cleanse, string, and otherwise establish one or more temporary systems of works upon the Lands of the Transferor, in the event of a breakdown or malfunction of the Works;

## **2.0 THE TRANSFEROR COVENANTS:**

- 2.1 Not, and not to permit or allow any other person, to erect, place, install or maintain any building, structure, addition to a building or structure, mobile home, paved driveway or patio, pipe, wire or other conduit on, over or under any portion of the Right of Way within 3 metres of the Works;
- 2.2 Not to do anything that in any way interferes with or damages or prevents access to or is likely to cause harm to the Works installed in or upon the Right of Way;
- 2.3 Not to do, or knowingly permit or allow to be done, any act or thing which, in the opinion of the Transferee, will interfere with or injure the Works and in particular, without limitation, will not carry out any blasting on the Right of Way without the consent in writing of the Transferee, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld;
- 2.4 Not to substantially add to or diminish the soil cover over any of the Works installed in the Right of Way and in particular, without limitation, will not construct open drains or ditches along or across any of the Works installed in the Right of Way without the consent of the Transferee, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld;
- 2.5 From time to time and at all times at the reasonable request and at the cost of the Transferee to do and execute or cause to be made, done or executed any further and other lawful acts, deeds, things, devices, conveyances and assurances in law required

to ensure the Transferee of its rights under this Agreement; and

2.6 To permit the Transferee to peaceably hold and enjoy the rights hereby granted.

**3.0 THE TRANSFEEE COVENANTS:**

3.1 As soon as weather and soil conditions permit, and as often as it may exercise this right of entry to the Right of Way, to replace the surface soil as nearly as may be reasonably possible to the same condition as it was prior to the entry, in order to restore the natural drainage to the Lands. This shall not require the Transferee to restore any trees or other surface growth, but the Transferee shall leave the Lands in a condition which will not inhibit natural regeneration of that growth;

3.2 As far as reasonably possible, to carry out all work in a proper and workmanlike manner so as to do as little injury to the Lands as possible;

3.3 To make good at its own expense damage or disturbance which may be caused to the Lands in the exercise by the Transferee of its rights under this Agreement except as permitted under this Agreement;

3.4 As far as reasonably possible, to restore any fences, lawns or flower beds, at its cost as nearly as may be reasonably possible to the same condition that they were in prior to any entry by the Transferee upon the Lands;

**4.0 THE PARTIES COVENANT TO AND AGREE WITH EACH OTHER, as follows:**

4.1 No right herein granted to or reserved by the Transferee shall require the Transferee to clear, repair or maintain the Works or the Right of Way unless the Transferee is expressly required herein to perform such cleaning, repairing or maintenance;

4.2 If the Transferor defaults in observance or performance of its obligations hereunder, the Transferee, after 10 days prior written notice to the Transferor specifying the default and at any time in case of emergency, may (but is not obligated to) rectify the default, and the Transferor shall pay to the Transferee, on demand, its reasonable costs in connection with so rectifying;

4.3 The Transferor shall, after execution hereof by it at the expense of the Transferor, do or cause to be done all acts necessary to grant priority to this Agreement over all financial charges and encumbrances which are registered, or pending registration, against the Title to the Lands in the Land Title Office save and except those as have been specifically approved in writing by the Transferee or have been granted in favour of the Transferee;

4.4 Waiver of any default by either party shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent default by that party;

4.5 Whenever this Agreement creates a power or obligation of the Transferee to make a decision or to exercise any contractual right or remedy, the Transferee may do so in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and no public law duty, whether arising from the principals of fairness or the rules of natural justice, shall have any

application;

- 4.6 Notwithstanding anything herein contained, the Transferee reserves all rights and powers of expropriation otherwise enjoyed by the Transferee;
- 4.7 Without limiting Section 4.6, nothing contained or implied in this Agreement will derogate from the obligations of the Transferor under any other agreement with the Transferee or prejudice or affect the Transferee's rights, powers, duties or obligations in the exercise of its functions under all public and private statutes, by-laws, orders and regulations, which may be as fully and effectively exercised in relation to the Lands as if this Agreement had not been executed and delivered by Transferor and the Transferee;
- 4.8 In spite of any rule of law or equity to the contrary, the Works brought on to, set, constructed, laid, erected in, upon or under the Right of Way by the Transferee shall at all times remain the property of the Transferee, even if the Works are annexed or affixed to the freehold, and the Works shall at any time and from time to time be removable in whole or in part by the Transferee;
- 4.9 In the event that the Transferee abandons the Works or any part of them, the Transferee may, if it so elects, leave the whole or any part of the Works in place and if so abandoned the Works, or part thereof, shall become the property of the Transferor;
- 4.10 No part of the title in fee simple to the Lands of the Transferor shall pass to or be vested in the Transferee under or by virtue of this Agreement, and the Transferor may fully use and enjoy all of the Lands of the Transferor subject only to the rights and restrictions in this Agreement;
- 4.11 If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase in this Agreement is for any reason held to be invalid by the decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid portion shall be severed and the decision that it is invalid shall not affect the validity of the remainder of the Agreement;
- 4.12 This Agreement shall attach to and run with the Lands and each and every part to which the Lands may be divided or subdivided whether by subdivision plan, strata plan or otherwise howsoever;
- 4.13 In the event that the Transferee abandons the Works or any part of them, the Transferee may, if it so elects, leave the whole or any part of the Works in place and if so abandoned the Works, or part thereof, shall become the property of the Transferor;
- 4.14 The Transferor acknowledges that (a) these Covenants are enforceable against the Transferor and his successors in title, but (b) the Transferor is not personally liable for breach of these Covenants where such liability arises by reason of an act or omission occurring after the Transferor named herein or any future owner ceases to have a further interest in the Lands;
- 4.15 If at the date hereof the Transferor is not the sole registered owner of the Lands of the Transferor, this Agreement shall nevertheless bind the Transferor to the full extent of his interest therein, and if he acquires a greater or the entire interest in fee simple, this Agreement shall likewise extend to such after-acquired interests;

- 4.16 Where the expression "Transferor" includes more than one person, all covenants made by the Transferor shall be construed as being several as well as joint with respect to all persons constituting the Transferor;
- 4.17 This Agreement shall continue to benefit and be binding upon the Transferor and Transferee, and their respective heirs, administrators, executors, successors and permitted assigns, as the case may be;
- 4.18 Gender specific terms include both genders and corporations, and the singular and plural forms are interchangeable, according to the context; and
- 4.19 This Agreement will be governed and construed according to the laws of the Province of British Columbia.

## **5.0 PRIORITY AGREEMENT**

- 5.1 \*, as the registered holder of a charge by way of \* against the within described property, which said charge is registered in the Land Title Office at Victoria, British Columbia, under number \*, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) paid by the Transferee to the said Chargeholder (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged), agrees with the Transferee, its successors and assigns, that the within Right of Way shall be an encumbrance upon the within described property in priority to the said charge in the same manner and to the same effect as if it had been dated and registered prior to the said charge.

The Transferor and Transferee acknowledge that this Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by the parties executing Forms C and D attached hereto.

Schedule "A"



## Statutory Right of Way - Highway

### TERMS OF INSTRUMENT - PART 2

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#### WHEREAS:

A. The Transferor is the registered owner in fee simple of the following land in the Province of British Columbia:

(the "**Lands**")

B. The Transferee is the Corporation of the City of Victoria;

C. This Right of Way is necessary for the operation and maintenance of the Transferee's undertaking as described in Recital D;

D. The Transferee wishes to be able to construct, operate and maintain a public highway and other works including but not limited to a system of roadways, sidewalks and utility services in perpetuity over a portion of the Lands; and

E. To facilitate the construction and use by the Transferee and the public of a public highway, and to facilitate the installation and use of works that may be placed by the Transferee on, under or over the highway including pavements, sidewalks, boulevards, curbs, gutters, drains, sewers, utility poles, wires, fences, overhead and underground cables, traffic signals, transit shelters, and landscaping including but not limited to trees, shrubs, flowers and grass, and irrigation works required for the maintenance of that landscaping, and any other works, facilities or appurtenants necessary for the use of the Right of Way as a public highway (collectively the "Works"), the Transferor has agreed to grant the Right of Way in this Agreement.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar of lawful money of Canada, now paid by the Transferee to the Transferor (the receipt and sufficiency of which is now acknowledged by the Transferor), and in consideration of the covenants and conditions agreed to be observed and performed by the parties and for other valuable consideration:

#### 1.0 THE TRANSFEROR:

1.1 Pursuant to Section 218 of the Land Title Act, hereby grants, conveys, confirms and transfers, in perpetuity, to the Transferee, its officers, employees, contractors,

licensees and invitees, including without limitation the general public, the full, free and uninterrupted right, licence, liberty, privilege, permission and right of way to use as a public highway, including but not limited to the right to enter onto, use, go, return, pass over and across for highway purposes, that portion of the Lands, shown in heavy outline on the Right of Way Plan prepared by [Name of Surveyor] and filed in the Victoria Land Title Office under Plan No. \_\_\_\_\_ a reduced copy of which is attached hereto as Schedule "A" (the "**Right of Way**");

1.2 Covenants and agrees to and with the Transferee that in connection with the grant under Section 1.1 of this Agreement, the Transferee and its officers, employees, contractors, licensees and invitees shall have the full, free and uninterrupted right, licence, liberty, privilege, permission and right of way to lay down, install, construct, entrench, operate, maintain, inspect, alter, repair, remove, replace, bury, cleanse, string, and otherwise establish one or more system of Works upon the Right of Way;

1.3 Covenants and agrees to and with the Transferee that the Transferee shall:

- (a) for itself and its agents, workers, contractors and all other licensees of the Transferee;
- (b) together with machinery, vehicles, equipment, and materials;
- (c) upon, over, under and across the Right of Way;
- (d) as may be necessary, useful, or convenient for the purposes in Section 1.1 and Section 1.2; and
- (e) in connection with the operations of the Transferee in relation to the Works;

be entitled at all times to enter, use, pass and repass, labour, construct, erect, install, dig, carry away soil or other surface or subsurface materials, and clear of all trees, growth, buildings or obstructions now or hereafter in existence upon, over, under and across the Right of Way;

1.4 Grants, conveys, confirms and transfers unto the Transferee for itself, and its employees, agents, workers, contractors and all other licensees of the Transferee together with machinery, vehicles, equipment and materials, the right at all times to enter upon and to pass and repass over such of the Lands of the Transferor as may reasonably be required for the purpose of ingress to and egress from the Right of Way;

1.5 Transfers, assigns and conveys to the Transferee all right, title and interest in and to any Works that the Transferee, or the Transferor have prior to this Agreement established or constructed or maintained or operated within the Right of Way or in relation to any similar Works previously constructed by any party whatsoever within the Right of Way.

## **2.0 THE TRANSFEROR COVENANTS:**

2.1 Not, and not to permit or allow any other person, to erect, place, install or maintain any building, structure, addition to a building or structure, mobile home, paved driveway or patio, pipe, wire or other conduit on, over or under any portion of the Right of Way;

2.2 Not to do anything or to permit any act or thing which in the opinion of the Transferee in any way interferes with or damages or prevents access to or use of the Right of Way or is likely to cause harm to the Works installed in or upon the Right of Way;

2.3 To trim or, if the Transferee determines it is necessary, cut down any tree or other growth on the Lands which in the opinion of the Transferee, constitutes or may constitute a danger or obstruction to the Right of Way or the Works or those using same;

2.4 From time to time and at all times at the reasonable request and at the cost of the Transferee to do and execute or cause to be made, done or executed any further and other lawful acts, deeds, things, devices, conveyances and assurances in law required to ensure the Transferee of its rights under this Agreement; and

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3.1 As far as reasonably possible, to carry out all work in a proper and workmanlike manner so as to do as little injury to the Lands as possible; and

3.2 To make good at its own expense damage or disturbance which may be caused to the Lands in the exercise by the Transferee of its rights under this Agreement except as permitted under this Agreement.

## **4.0 THE PARTIES COVENANT TO AND AGREE WITH EACH OTHER, as follows:**

4.1 The Transferor shall not diminish or increase the soil cover over any pipe installed in the Right of Way without the Transferee's prior written consent;

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4.3 If the Transferor defaults in observance or performance of its obligations hereunder, the Transferee, after 10 days prior written notice to the Transferor specifying the default and at any time in case of emergency, may (but is not obligated to) rectify

the default, and the Transferor shall pay to the Transferee, on demand, its reasonable costs in connection with so rectifying;

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4.7 Notwithstanding anything herein contained, the Transferee reserves all rights and powers of expropriation otherwise enjoyed by the Transferee;

4.8 Without limiting Section 4.7, nothing contained or implied in this Agreement will derogate from the obligations of the Transferor under any other agreement with the Transferee or prejudice or affect the Transferee's rights, powers, duties or obligations in the exercise of its functions under all public and private statutes, by-laws, orders and regulations, which may be as fully and effectively exercised in relation to the Lands as if this Agreement had not been executed and delivered by Transferor and the Transferee;

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to which the Lands may be divided or subdivided whether by subdivision plan, strata plan or otherwise howsoever;

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