

SUMMARY OF FEE WAIVERS REQUIRING APPROVAL

COFLEX Initiative	Description	Approved Funding	Status
Livery Transport Services Renewal Waiver	Waiving taxi and limousine driver licence renewal fees and reducing plate licence renewal fees by 50 per cent until 2022 May 14 benefits almost 4,300 local taxi and limousine drivers and approximately 1,900 taxi plate holders by responding to the immediate need for financial relief due to significant reduction in trips due to the pandemic. Administration charges these fees through the Livery Transport Bylaw 6M2007 and require Council consent to waive and reduce them.	\$1,406,000	Continuation of initiative from 2020. COFLEX funding avoids further depleting reserves.
Plus 15 Commercial Use of Easement Agreement Fees	These agreements are required when businesses lease portions of the Plus 15 public access easements located in buildings. Typical leases include restaurants, coffee shops, daycares, retail kiosks, etc. There are twenty-three Plus 15 Commercial Use of Easement Agreements and the fees associated with these agreements will be waived for 2021. Any fees for new agreements executed in 2021 will also be waived. This supports business relief and users of the Plus 15 network. Administration charges these fees through the 2020 Planning and Development Fee Schedule and require Council consent to waive them.	\$200,000	New initiative for 2021.