

CITY OF VANCOUVER BRITISH COLUMBIA



NOISE CONTROL BY-LAW NO. 6555

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**A By-law to regulate noise or sound
within the City of Vancouver**

**[Consolidated for convenience only,
amended to include By-law No. 13958
effective March 12, 2024]**

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VANCOUVER, in open meeting assembled, enacts
as follows:

1. This By-law may be cited as the "Noise Control By-law".
2. In this By-law where any abbreviation or technical standard is used but not defined specifically or by context, it shall be interpreted by reference to the definitions and technical standards last published by the Canadian Standards Association (CSA), the American Standards Institute (ANSI), the International Organization for Standardization (ISO), or the International Electro-Technical Commission (IEC), as applicable and, unless the context otherwise requires:

"activity zone" means those areas described in Schedule "A";

"approved sound meter" means an instrument calibrated to measure levels of sound pressure in accordance with the minimum specifications for type 2 general purpose sound level meters set out under ANSI S1.4 or IEC 123, and includes Bruel and Kjaer's Sound Level Meter Type 2232, 2230, and 2205 as well as Larson-Davis Laboratories Model 700;

"background noise" means noise the receiver would experience in the absence of the intruding noise, measured at the same point as the intruding noise for a period of three minutes;

"Chief Licence Inspector" means the person appointed to hold the office referenced in section 269 of the Vancouver Charter;

"commercial premises" means premises used to sell or offer to sell goods or services;

"construction" includes the erection, alteration, repair, relocation, dismantling, demolition and removal of a building, structural maintenance, painting, land clearing, earth moving, grading, excavating, the laying of pipe and conduit (whether above or below ground level), street building, concreting and the installation, alteration or removal of construction equipment, components and materials in any form or for any purpose, and includes any work being done in connection therewith;

"continuous sound" means any sound occurring for a duration of more than three minutes, or occurring continually, sporadically or erratically but totalling more than three minutes in any 15 minute period of time;

"Council" means the Council of the City of Vancouver;

"daytime" means:

- (i) unless otherwise provided in this by-law, from 7 o'clock in the morning (0700 hours) to 10 o'clock in the evening (2200 hours) on any weekday or Saturday, and from 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 10 o'clock in the evening (2200 hours) on any Sunday or holiday, and
- (ii) in the case of B.C. Place Stadium, Rogers Arena, and a civic plaza in the event zone, from 7 o'clock in the morning (0700 hours) to 11 o'clock in the evening (2300 hours) on any weekday or Saturday, and from 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 11 o'clock in the evening (2300 hours) on any Sunday or holiday;

"dBA" means the sound pressure level in decibels measured using the "A" weighting network setting of an approved sound meter and with slow response;

"dBC" means the sound pressure level in decibels measured using the "C" weighting network setting of an approved sound meter and with slow response;

"downtown area" means that area of the City shown outlined on Schedule "C";

"event zone" means those areas described in Schedule G and that portion of the city shown outlined in Schedule "B.2";

"extended hours" means the difference between the time at which any particular class of standard hours liquor establishment opens or closes for business in any particular area, and the time at which the same class of extended hours liquor establishment opens or closes for business in the same area;

"extended hours liquor establishment" has the meaning set out in the License By-law;

"holiday" includes:

- (i) Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday and Easter Monday,
- (ii) Canada Day, Victoria Day, British Columbia Day, Labour Day, Remembrance Day, Family Day and New Year's Day,
- (iii) December 26, and
- (iv) a day fixed by the Parliament of Canada or by the Legislature, or appointed by proclamation of the Governor General or the Lieutenant Governor, to be observed as a day of general prayer or mourning, a day of public rejoicing or thanksgiving, a day for celebrating the birthday of the reigning Sovereign, or as a public holiday.

"intermediate zone" means those areas described in Schedule "B" and that portion of the City shown outlined on Schedule "B.1";

"leaf blower" means a portable machine, including backpack units or handheld units, used for blowing or sucking up leaves, grass, or debris including leaf blowers that accept vacuum

attachments but excluding vehicle-mounted units;

"leq" means the equivalent sound level of a steady state sound which has the same sound energy as that contained in the actual time-varying sound being measured over a specific time period;

"nighttime" means any time not included within the definition of daytime;

"non-continuous sound" means any sound other than continuous sound;

"point of reception" means:

- (a) a point in a lane or street, adjacent to but outside of the property occupied by the recipient of the noise or sound, that represents the shortest distance between that property and the source of the noise; or
- (b) where no lane, street, or other public property exists between the recipient and the source, any point outside the property line of the real property from which the noise or sound emanates;
- (c) in the case of noise emanating from inside Rogers Arena, a point as defined in sub paragraph (a) or (b) or a point immediately adjacent to and outside of any dwelling unit located within the site legally described as PID: 018-500-374, Lot 221, Plan LMP 12038; and
- (d) in any case at least 1.2 m above the surface of the ground.

"power equipment" means any equipment or machinery used in lawn and garden care or in building and property maintenance, and includes but is not limited to leaf blowers, edge trimmers, line trimmers, rototillers, lawnmowers, pressure washers, carpet cleaning equipment, and hand-operated power tools;

"premises" means the area contained within the apparent boundaries of any legal parcel of land and any building situated within such boundaries, provided however that where a building contains more than one unit of commercial, industrial or residential occupancy each unit, the common areas of the building, and the land within the apparent boundaries of the lot, shall each be deemed to be separate premises;

"quiet zone" means any portion of the City not defined as an activity zone, intermediate zone or event zone;

"residential premises" means any parcel of real property utilized primarily for residential accommodation, and includes hotels and motels;

"Restaurant - Class 1" means the use of premises for the primary purpose of selling and serving prepared food to the public during all hours of operation, where the premises include at least 17 indoor or outdoor seats for customers consuming food purchased on the premises, and where live entertainment, including the use of non-amplified or amplified musical instruments and disc jockey mixing turntables, but excluding patron participation such as karaoke, dancing and open microphone performing, may be available.

"Restaurant - Class 2" means the use of premises for the primary purpose of selling and serving prepared food to the public during all hours of operation, where the premises include at least 17 indoor or outdoor seats for customers consuming food purchased on the premises, and where live entertainment, including the use of non-amplified or amplified musical instruments and disc jockey mixing turntables and patron participation such as karaoke, dancing and open microphone performing may be available.

"slow response" means the pre-determined setting of a sound level meter, which setting meets the minimum specifications set out in ANSI S1.4 or IEC 123;

"standard hours liquor establishment" has the meaning set out in the License By-law;

"sound level" means the sound pressure level in decibels measured using the "A" weighting network setting of an approved sound meter and with slow response.

3. No person shall make or cause, or permit to be made or caused, any noise or sound in a street, park or similar public place which disturbs or tends to disturb unreasonably the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort or convenience of persons in the neighbourhood or vicinity.

3A. No person being the owner or occupant of any premises shall cause, allow, or permit the cry of an animal or bird which can easily be heard by a person not on the same premises and which disturbs or tends to disturb unreasonably the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort or convenience of that person, except that this section does not apply to dog barking which the Animal Control By-law regulates.

4. Notwithstanding any other provision of this By-law the following are declared by Council to be noises or sounds which are, in its opinion, objectionable or liable to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort or convenience of individuals or the public and are hereby prohibited, and no person being the owner or occupant of any premises shall make, cause, allow, or permit:

- (a) the noise resulting from a gathering of two or more persons at any time, where one or more human voice is raised beyond the level of ordinary conversation,
- (b) the sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, provided that the sound does not emanate from a commercial premises, or
- (c) the noise resulting from construction except during the hours and days during which section 16 permits a person to carry on construction,

which can easily be heard by an individual or member of the public who is not on the same premises, notwithstanding that such noise or sound might not constitute a breach of any other provision of this by-law.

4A. Notwithstanding any other provision of this By-law the sound from vehicle-mounted carpet cleaning equipment made before noon (1200 hours) and after 5 o'clock in the afternoon (1700 hours) on a Sunday or holiday is declared by Council to be a noise or sound which is, in its opinion, objectionable or liable to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort or convenience of individuals or the public and is hereby prohibited, and no owner or operator of vehicle-mounted carpet cleaning equipment shall during those times make, cause, allow or permit such noise or

sound to be made.

4B. Council declares the noise or sound from live entertainment in a Restaurant -Class 1 or Restaurant – Class 2, made after 1 a.m. and before 9 a.m. to be a noise or sound which, in its opinion, is objectionable or liable to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort, or convenience of individuals or the public, and prohibits such noise or sound, and the owner or operator of a Restaurant - Class 1 or Restaurant – Class 2 must not, during that period of time, make, cause, suffer, allow, or permit the making of such noise or sound.

5. No person shall in a quiet zone make, cause or permit to be made or caused, continuous sound the sound level of which:

(a) during the daytime exceeds a rating of 55 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a quiet zone, or 60 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an activity zone, event zone or an intermediate zone; or

(b) during the nighttime exceeds a rating of 45 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a quiet zone, or 55 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an activity zone, event zone or an intermediate zone.

6. No person shall in an activity zone or an event zone make, cause or permit to be made or caused, continuous sound the sound level of which:

(a) during the daytime exceeds a rating of 70 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an activity zone or an intermediate zone, or 60 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a quiet zone; or

(b) during the nighttime exceeds a rating of 65 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an activity zone or an intermediate zone, or 55 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a quiet zone.

6A. No person shall in an intermediate zone make, cause or permit to be made or caused, continuous sound, the sound level of which

(a) during the daytime exceeds

i) 70 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an ACTIVITY ZONE or an EVENT ZONE

ii) 70 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an INTERMEDIATE ZONE

iii) 60 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a QUIET ZONE

(b) during the nighttime exceeds

i) 65 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an ACTIVITY ZONE or an EVENT ZONE

- ii) 65 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within an INTERMEDIATE ZONE
- iii) 50 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception within a QUIET ZONE

7. No person shall in an activity zone, an intermediate zone, event zone or a quiet zone make, cause, or permit to be made or caused, non-continuous sound the sound level of which during the daytime exceeds a rating of 75 on an approved sound meter, or during the nighttime exceeds a rating of 70 on an approved sound meter when received at the point of reception.

8. Sections 3, 5, 6, 6A and 7 of this By-law shall not apply to noise or sound created:

- (a) as a consequence of the construction, cleaning, or other maintenance of any building, street, sewer, water main, electrical duct, or other public utility; or
- (b) by the sound of church bells, chimes, or carillons, whether amplified or not; or
- (c) as a consequence of the lawful testing of an emergency generator provided that it is not operated more than once a month during the daytime, and for a maximum of 60 minutes, plus once a year for a maximum of 180 minutes, and its continuous sound level does not exceed a rating of 80 on an approved sound meter when measured at the point of reception or at least 6.1 metres from its source, whichever is the greater.

9. Noise or sound emanating from a source on a street shall, for the purposes of sections 5, 6, 6A, and 7, be deemed as emanating from an activity zone and shall be measured at the point of reception or at least 6.1 metres from the source of the noise or sound, whichever is the greater.

10. Where noise or sound emanating from a source on a parcel of real property is received on a street, the street shall be deemed to be an activity zone, and the noise or sound shall, for the purposes of sections 5, 6, 6A, and 7, be measured at the point of reception or at least 6.1 metres from the source of the noise or sound, whichever is the greater.

11. A person in any commercial premises must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous bass noise or bass sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which:

- (a) during the daytime, exceeds a rating of 70 dBC (Leq); or
- (b) during the nighttime, exceeds a rating of 65 dBC (Leq);

when measured on an approved sound meter for a period of three minutes at the point of reception.

11A. In addition to the requirements of section 11, if residential premises are in the same building as commercial premises or share a common wall or party wall with commercial premises, or if a wall of residential premises and a wall of commercial premises are flush against one another, then a person in such commercial premises must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous bass noise or bass sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which exceeds a

rating of 55 dBC (Leq) when measured on an approved sound meter for a period of three minutes, in such residential premises, at the centre of the living room or bedroom which is closest to the commercial premises in the same building or with which such residential premises shares a common wall or party wall or wall that is flush to a wall of the commercial premises.

11B. In addition to the requirements of sections 11 and 11A, a person in any commercial premises must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which exceeds 3 decibels (Leq) dBA above the background noise on an approved sound meter when measured for a period of three minutes at the point of reception.

11C. In addition to the requirements of section 11B, if residential premises are in the same building as commercial premises or share a common wall or party wall with commercial premises, or if a wall of residential premises and a wall of commercial premises are flush against one another, then, subject to sections 11A and 11B, a person in such commercial premises must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous noise or sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which:

- (a) during the daytime, exceeds a rating of 50 dBA (Leq); or
- (b) during the nighttime, exceeds a rating of 45 dBA (Leq);

when measured on an approved sound meter for a period of three minutes, in such residential premises, at the centre of the living room or bedroom which is closest to the commercial premises in the same building or with which such residential premises shares a common wall or party wall or wall that is flush to a wall of the commercial premises.

11D. In addition to the requirements of section 11, a person in an extended hours liquor establishment must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused, during extended hours, continuous or non-continuous bass noise or bass sound of a radio, television, player or other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which exceeds:

- (a) 80 dBC (Leq) in respect of any extended hours liquor establishment located in any area outlined in black on Schedule F – Map 1 or Schedule F – Map 4; or
- (b) 75 dBC (Leq) in respect of any extended hours liquor establishment located in any area outlined in black on Schedule F – Map 2, Schedule F – Map 3, Schedule F – Map 5, Schedule F – Map 6, or Schedule F – Map 7;

when measured on an approved sound meter for a period of one minute at a distance of three metres from an exterior wall of the building in which that liquor establishment is situate, and at least 1.2 metres above the ground.

11E. In addition to the requirements of sections 11 and 11D, a person in an extended hours liquor establishment, as defined under the License By-law, must not make, cause, or permit to be made or caused, during extended hours, continuous or non-continuous sound of a radio, television, player or

other sound playback device, public address system, or any other music or voice amplification equipment, musical instrument, whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the level of which exceeds three decibels dBA (Leq) above the background noise on an approved sound meter when measured for a period of one minute at a distance of three metres from an exterior wall of the building in which that liquor establishment is situate, and at least 1.2 metres above the ground.

12. (1) No person shall in a commercial premises make, cause, or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous noise or sound of music whether recorded or live, whether amplified or not, the sound level of which exceeds a rating of 90 on an approved sound meter when measured within the premises at a distance of not less than 6.1 metres from the source unless a notice in the form prescribed in subsection (2) is posted in a prominent location at the entry to the premises.

(2) The notice referred to in subsection (1) shall contain the following information:

(a) the word "CAUTION" in bold face, followed by the words "THE SOUND LEVEL WITHIN THESE PREMISES MAY BE HAZARDOUS TO YOUR HEARING" in capital letters; and

(b) the symbol shown on Schedule "D"; and shall be constructed so that:

(c) it is rectangular in shape;

(d) it is at least 15 cm high and 30.5 cm wide;

(e) the lettering for the word "CAUTION" is at least 2 cm high and in red and for the balance of the script is at least 1 cm high and in any colour which contrasts with the background; and

(f) the symbol is at least 10 cm high.

12A. Despite anything to the contrary in this By-law, after 9 a.m. and before 1 a.m., a person in a Restaurant – Class 1 or Restaurant – Class 2 must not make, cause or permit to be made or caused continuous or non-continuous noise or sound from live entertainment that exceeds an interior rating of 90 decibels (90 dBA) Leq over a three minute time period on an approved sound meter when measured within the restaurant at a distance of two metres, and at a height of 1.2 m above the floor, from an exterior or common or party wall.

13. Notwithstanding any provision of this By-law, a person may make or cause a noise or sound which exceeds the sound levels set out in this By-law when performing works of an emergency nature for the preservation or protection of property, life or health.

13A. Notwithstanding any provision of the By-law, a person may make or cause a noise or sound which exceeds the sound levels set out in this By-law, provided the sound level does not exceed a rating of 87 on an approved sound meter when received at a point of reception and the noise or sound is made or caused by a chain saw.

14. Notwithstanding any provision of this By-law, but subject to sections 4A and 14C, a person must not, by using or operating:

(a) power equipment during the daytime; or

(b) beach screening equipment owned by the Vancouver Park Board;

cause a sound that exceeds a rating of 77 dBA on an approved sound meter, when received at the greater of 50 feet (15.2 metres) or a point of reception.

14A. Notwithstanding section 14(a), a person must not cause a noise by using power equipment at any time other than the daytime.

14B. Notwithstanding any provision of this by-law a person may make or cause a noise or sound which exceeds the sound levels set out in this by-law where such noise or sound

(a) is made by a participant in and as a consequence of a nuisance abatement program, festival, race, parade or other special event provided such program, festival, race, parade or event has been authorized by Council,

(b) emanates from B.C. Place Stadium and is caused by a concert or an event using motor vehicles, provided that the total number of such concerts or events does not exceed 10 in a year,

(c) emanates from B.C. Place Stadium and is caused by the cheering of crowds at a sporting event, or

(d) emanates from Rogers Arena during a concert or sporting event, provided that the sound level does not exceed an average of 82dBC (Leq) when measured using an approved sound meter at the point of reception, for a continuous period of fifteen minutes.

14C. Despite anything to the contrary in this By-law:

(a) a person must not operate a leaf blower within the boundaries of that area of the city outlined in black on Schedule F attached to this By-law;

(b) subject to subsection (a) of this section, a person must not operate a leaf blower within 50 metres of the boundaries of any residential premises, except between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning (0800 hours) to 6 o'clock in the evening (1800 hours) on any week day or between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning (0900 hours) to 5 o'clock in the evening (1700 hours) on any Saturday; and

(c) subject to subsection (a) of this section, from and after January 1, 2003, a person must not operate a leaf blower unless the leaf blower has attached to it a manufacturer's decal certifying that the leaf blower meets the Category 1 - $db(A) \leq 65$ equipment standard set out in ANSI B175.2 - 2000, published by the Portable Power Equipment Manufacturers Association, and containing the information set out on the form of decal attached to and forming part of this By-law.

14D. Council declares any noise or sound from a leaf blower in contravention of section 14C to be a noise or sound which is, in its opinion, objectionable or liable to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort, or convenience of individuals or the public, and Council hereby prohibits any such noise or sound, and a person being the owner or occupant of any premises must not make, cause, allow, or permit any such noise or sound.

15. No person shall, in or adjacent to residential premises, but not including a street, make or cause sound or noise resulting from construction the continuous sound level of which exceeds a rating of 85 on an approved sound meter when measured at the property line, of the parcel of land where the construction is taking place, that is nearest to the point of reception of the sound or noise.

16. No person shall cause, permit or allow construction noise that disturbs the quiet, peace, rest or enjoyment of the public, except:

(a) between the hours of 7:30 o'clock in the morning (0730 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any week day that is not a holiday, and between 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any Saturday that is not a holiday; and

(b) for construction on a street between the hours of 7 o'clock in the morning (0700 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any week day or Saturday, and between 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any Sunday or holiday.

17. (1) In any case where it is impossible or impractical to comply with sections 15 or 16 or where, as the result of a special event section 3, 5, 6 or 7 cannot be complied with, an application, in the form prescribed in subsection (2) may be made to the Chief Licence Inspector for an exception, and the Chief Licence Inspector may give consent in writing to carry on any such works or events outside the prescribed limits and upon such terms as the Chief Licence Inspector determines except that an exception must not be granted for a period longer than 180 days.

(2) An applicant under subsection (1) shall comply with the requirements set out in Schedule E to this By-law.

(3) In any case where, because of an emergency or other unforeseen circumstance, an application for an exception cannot be submitted within the time limit prescribed in Schedule "E", the Chief Licence Inspector may waive that limitation.

(4) The Chief Licence Inspector may suspend an exception issued under this section at any time.

18. (1) The owner of a parcel of land upon which construction, except for construction:

(a) of a single detached house or duplex as defined in the Zoning and Development By-law; or

(b) that does not exceed a building permit value of \$500,000.00;

is taking place shall post a sign on that parcel of land, and shall maintain the sign during the course of construction, in accordance with the requirements set out in this section 18.

(2) The owner referred to in subsection (1) shall post the sign in a prominent location on the parcel of land that is clearly visible from at least one adjacent street.

(3) The sign shall:

- (a) be rectangular in shape;
- (b) be at least 42.5 cm high and 27.5 cm wide;
- (c) contain script that is at least 1.25 cm high, and is in a colour that contrasts with the background of the sign; and
- (d) set out those sections of this By-law that apply to construction, the name of the general contractor for the construction on the parcel of land, the name and telephone number of an individual representative of that general contractor that persons may contact during all on-site working hours, and the City Noise Complaint telephone numbers.

19. No person involved in the collection of refuse shall make or cause or permit to be made or caused any noise to emanate from a motor vehicle while the vehicle is being used to collect refuse by means of a mechanical or hydraulic lift from a bulk refuse container in or adjacent to a residential premises:

- (a) outside the downtown area except from 7 o'clock in the morning (0700 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any week day, or from 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 8 o'clock in the evening (2000 hours) on any Saturday, Sunday, or holiday; or
- (b) inside the downtown area except from 6 o'clock in the morning (0600 hours) to 12 o'clock in the evening (2400 hours) on any week day, or from 10 o'clock in the morning (1000 hours) to 12 o'clock in the evening (2400 hours) on any Saturday, Sunday, or holiday.

20. (1) Every person who violates any of the provisions of this By-law or who suffers or permits any act or thing to be done in contravention or in violation of any of the provisions of this By-law, or who neglects to do or refrains from doing anything required to be done by any of the provisions of this By-law, or who does any act which violates any of the provisions of this By-law, is guilty of an offence against this By-law and liable to the penalties hereby imposed. Each day that a violation is permitted to exist shall constitute a separate offence.

(2) Every person who commits an offence against this By-law is liable to a fine and penalty of not more than \$10,000.00 and not less than \$250.00 for each offence.

(3) Notwithstanding the minimum fine referred to in subsection (2), every person who commits an offence against section 16 by carrying on construction other than within the times specified or section 19 by causing noise from refuse collection other than within the times specified is liable to a fine of not less than \$500.00 for each offence.

(4) Despite the minimum fine referred to in subsection (2), every person who commits an offence against section 11, section 11A, section 11B, or section 11C is liable to a fine of not less than \$500.00 for each offence.

(5) Every person who commits an offence of a continuing nature against this By-law is liable to a fine not less than \$250.00 and not more than \$10,000.00 for each day such offence continues.

21. It is the intention of the Council that each separate provision of this By-law shall be deemed

independent of all other provisions herein and if any provisions of this By-law be declared to be invalid, all other provisions thereof shall remain valid and enforceable.

22. Schedules "A", "B", "B.1", "B.2", "C", "D", "E", "F", and "G" which are attached hereto are an integral part of this By-law.

23. By-laws No. 4984 and 5330 are hereby repealed.

24. This By-law comes into force and takes effect on the date of its passing, except for section 12 which shall come into force and take effect on November 1, 1989.

DONE AND PASSED in open Council this 12th day of September, 1989.

(Signed) "Gordon Campbell"
Mayor

(Signed) "Maria Kinsella"
City Clerk

Schedule A

Activity Zone

The following districts, which are more particularly described in the Zoning and Development By-law of the City of Vancouver, constitute part of the Activity Zone:

MC-1 DD IC-3

MC-2 M-2 I-1

I-1A I-1B I-1C

M-1 CWD I-2

M-1A IC-1 DEOD

M-1B IC-2

and those CD-1 Districts identified below by the by-law which created them:

<u>CD #</u>	<u>By-law #</u>	<u>Approximate Location</u>
177	5997	1060-80 Alberni
200	6263	1308-38 Alberni
233	6428	1500-20 Alberni
258	6718	Burrard Waterfront - east of Victoria

200	6263	738 Broughton
279	6884	550 Burrard
229	6421	900 Burrard
249	6654	3445-3541 Cornett
182	6057	322-424 Drake
249	6654	3003-3157 Grandview
230	6423	3185-91 Grandview
#3B	3656	3395 E. Hastings
243	6577	757 W. Hastings
164	5810	601 W. Hastings
278	6885	901 W. Hastings
273	6817	833 Helmcken
229	6421	935-53 Hornby
199	6260	1256-62 Howe
265	6747	Int'l Village
156	3865	Marine Drive
235	6448	131 W. Pender
163	5773	1095 W. Pender

232	6427	758 Prior
	6475	Riverside East
204	6304	800 Robson
164	5810	333 Seymour
70	4559	415 E. 5th
125	5060	3555 E. 5th (Site B)
198	6254	1700-81 W. 75th
187	6072	2615-85 Cambie
165	5818	3033 Cambie
1	12271	650 West 41 st Avenue
113	4940	800 Cassiar
117	4986	Champlain Heights
238	6479	2800-3100 Commercial
248	6564	1523 Davie
286	6965	430 Dunlevy
142	5411	3243 Findlay
20	4015	1601 W. Georgia

24	4065	1701-79 W. Georgia
231	6425	2782-96 Grandview
30	4123	5716 Granville
206	6307	8118-8298 Granville
169	5852	1020 Harwood
205	6305	2889 E. Hastings
80	4665	4949-51 Heather
58	4446	900-990 W. King Edward
111	4930	373-75 Kingsway
100	4861	2280 Kingsway
128	5145	2301-07 Kingsway
171	5890	3003 Kingsway
172	5927	3486-88 Kingsway
405	8326	395 West 5th
405	(8326)	395 West 5th
411	(8459)	1220 East Pender Street
361	7652	289 Alexander Street
413	8536	801 West Georgia Street

412	8546	600 Granville Street 602 Dunsmuir Street
418	8740	488 Robson Street
419	8819	1201 West Hastings Street
420	8880	1402 – 1436 Kingsway and 4050 Knight Street
422	8896	900 Pacific Boulevard
423	8925	1475 Howe Street
426	8943	1120 West Georgia Street
428	8993	33 West Pender Street
432	9088	950 Quebec Street
435	9116	1380 Hornby Street
443	9184	826 – 848 West Hastings Street
442	9173	898 Seymour Street and 887 – 897 Richards Street
439	9165	1752 – 1760 West 3 rd Avenue
446	9195	1133 West Georgia Street
450	9275	101 and 149 West Hastings Street 150 West Cordova Street

453	9420	2999 Grandview Highway
455	9460	701 Granville Street
		701 West Georgia Street
		777 Dunsmuir Street
		700 West Pender Street
458	9543	1655 – 1675 West 3 rd Avenue
484	10062	1372 Seymour Street
491	10127	1142 Granville Street
497	10189	2665 Renfrew Street
502	10248	1304 Hornby Street
509	10310	1025 Robson Street
514	10344	639 Commercial Drive (York Theatre)
517	10391	8495 Granville Street
530	10477	2730 East 41 st Avenue (5711 Rhodes Street)
532	10491	1305 – 1335 Burrard Street and
		1009 Harwood Street
546	10688	960-982 Howe Street
549	10756	1388 Continental Street
551	10754	1265 – 1281 Howe Street and
		803 – 821 Drake Street
555	10819	475 Howe Street and
		819 West Pender Street
557	10829	4320 Slocan Street
561	10872	955 East Hastings Street
562	10870	508 Helmcken Street
563	10874	1396 Richards Street
571	10995	1300-1320 Richards Street
570	10996	1107 Seymour Street
580	11009	1412-1480 Howe Street,
		1429 Granville Street,
		and 710 Pacific Street
579	11010	1410 Granville Street
575	11017	2290 Main Street
587	11106	1262 – 1290 Burrard Street

588	11107	1229 – 1281 Hornby Street
608	11244	33-49 East Hastings Street
616	11311	3030 East Broadway
633	11577	1575-1577 West Georgia Street and 620 Cardero Street
635	11581	468 West 33 rd Avenue, and 4956 and 4958 Cambie Street
653	11726	225 Smithe Street
667	11858	753 Seymour Street and 650 West Georgia Street
666	11848	601 West Hastings Street
686	11951	530 Drake Street
683	11952	801 Pacific Street
445	12004	969 Burrard Street and 1019-1045 Nelson Street
699	12153	400 West Georgia Street and 725-731 Homer Street
701	12173	575 Drake Street
702	12175	320 Granville Street
705	12176	1500 West Georgia street
709	12241	124 Dunlevy Avenue
714	12298	3681 Victoria Drive and 1915 Stainsbury Avenue
722	12354	1133-1155 Melville Street
776	12996	118-150 Robson Street
791	13120	619-685 West Hastings Street
789	13125	177 West Pender Street
803	13257	150 West 4th Avenue
814	13350	750 Southwest Marine Drive
816	13352	110 West 4 th Avenue
818	13399	720 Beatty Street and 701 Expo Boulevard
833	13485	1166 West Pender Street
834	13486	1317 Richards Street and 508 Drake Street
835	13487	443 Seymour Street
837	13489	1190 Burrard Street

Schedule B

Intermediate Zone

The following Districts, which are more particularly described in the Zoning and Development By-law of the City of Vancouver, constitute part of the Intermediate Zone:

C-1	C-5	HA-4
C-2	C-6	I-3
C-2B	FC-1	FCCDD
C-2C	FC-2	BCPED
C-2C1	HA-1	
C-3A	HA-2	
HA-1A	HA-3	
RR-3A	RR-3B	

and those CD-1 Districts identified below by the by-law which created them:

<u>CD #</u>	<u>By-law #</u>	<u>Approximate Location</u>
27	4085	4226 Arbutus
78	4634	4255-75 Arbutus
26	4078	4615-75 Arbutus
251	6676	888 Beach

106	4918	3606-30 Bering
141	5407	1155 E. Broadway
250	6663	1701-49 E. Broadway
167	5836	2402-2598 E. Broadway
186	6070	777 W. Broadway
158	5705	2676-96 W. Broadway
228	6420	891-901 Burrard
287	7006	1255 Burrard
239	6486	1275 Burrard
70	4559	400 Great Northern Way
245	6597	3490 Kingsway
162	5762	3496-3578 Kingsway
194	6180	3551-71 Kingsway
25	4076	3215 MacDonald
272	6819	1152 Mainland
136	5270	3350-80 Maquinna

38	4238	671-95 S.E. Marine
247	6533	2700-3000 S.E. Marine
66	4539	688 S.W. Marine
276	6876	1041 S.W. Marine
140	5383	3600 Marine Way
210	6313	4080-4190 Nanaimo
268	6760	North Fraser Landing
170	5863	2675 Oak
266	6757	1100-1300 Pacific Blvd.
125	5060	1890 Skeena
180	4954	3075 Slocan
219	6322	3206-54 Vanness
201	6272	3352 Vanness
131	5222	5660 Yew
132	5224	5670 Yew
183	6064	2800 E. 1st

504	379	3282-98 E. 1st
63	4510	1750 E. 10th
137	5373	835-65 W. 10th
196	6245	1096 W. 10th
234	6429	2040-80 W. 10th
158	5705	2657-93 W. 10th
29	4104	2105 E. 12th
46	4356	453 W. 12th
62	4497	500 W. 12th
284	6962	1630 W. 15th
148	5510	176 E. 18th
190	6155	2908 W. 33rd
34	4159	809 W. 41st
14	3963	1576 W. 41st
189	6117	2149-89 W. 42nd
55	4412	100 W. 49th
103	4900	282-444 W. 49th

68	4550	3150-80 E. 58th
47	4358	601-99 W. 57th
51	4384	750-52 W. 70th
410	8457	7250 Oak Street
59	4472	855 West 12th Avenue
415	8587	651 Expo Boulevard
41A	4296	1966 East 19th Avenue
424	8926	745 – 749 West 42 nd Avenue and 5816 – 5818 Tisdall Street
425	8927	5312 – 5392 Oak Street
427	8978	1001 – 1015 Denman Street
429	9029	3704 – 3720 Welwyn Street
430	9086	755 West 42 nd Avenue
433	9113	1885 – 1895 Venables Street
449	9230	Hillcrest Park and Nat Bailey Stadium Park

454	9454	51, 85, 199 and 215 West 1 st Avenue 1599 – 1651 Ontario Street 1598 – 1650 Columbia Street
456	9463	360 West 1 st Avenue
460	9573	388 West 1 st Avenue
462	9594	140 West 1 st Avenue
464	9600	2 – 88 West 1 st Avenue 2 – 26 East 1 st Avenue 27 – 99 West 2 nd Avenue
468	9665	1409 – 1477 West Pender Street
471	9707	311 West 2 nd Avenue
478	9850	188 East 1 st Avenue
479	9972	2960 – 2990 Nanaimo Street
358	7648	711 West Broadway and 700 West 8 th Avenue
482	10029	1300 – 1336 Granville
483	10033	236 – 298 West 1 st Avenue
487	10094	2330 – 2372 Kingsway and 2319 East 30 th Avenue
489	10101	1201-1215 Bidwell Street and 1702-1726 Davie Street
493	10131	745 Thurlow Street
494	10132	538-560 West Broadway
495	10134	3333 Main Street
501	10241	215 West 2 nd Avenue

503	10249	1304 Howe Street
496	10260	2250 Commercial Drive
504	10273	1553 – 1577 Main Street
506	10307	15 and 97 East 2 nd Avenue
508	10308	1569 West 6 th Avenue
510	10327	1134 Burrard Street
511	10328	138 East 7 th Avenue
512	10331	1850 Victoria Diversion
516	10348	1650 Quebec Street
515	10349	999 Seymour Street
513	10382	2402 East Broadway
518	10392	428 Terminal Avenue
522	10425	104 – 150 East 1 st Avenue
523	10432	8440 Cambie Street
524	10431	1880 Renfrew Street
525	10433	555 Robson Street, 775 Richards Street and 520 West Georgia Street
526	10457	606 Powell Street
527	10458	6311 Cambie Street
529	10472	2667 – 2703 Kingsway
531	10482	105 - 167 West 2 nd Avenue
533	10500	111 Princess Avenue
534	10543	1695 Main Street
535	10547	8018 – 8150 Cambie Street
536	10548	675 – 691 East Broadway
537	10566	1030 Denman Street
544	10653	1077 Great Northern Way
547	10737	611 Main Street
548	10760	6361 – 6385 Cambie Street
553	10787	633 Main Street
556	10827	2220 Kingsway
558	10841	3002 – 3036 West Broadway
572	10998	1568 East King Edward Avenue (formerly 1526-1560 Kingsway)
577	11020	8175 Cambie Street, 519 Southwest Marine Drive and 8180-8192 Lord Street
565	10942	Park Precinct
566	10941	Town Square Precinct
567	10943	Waterfront Precinct
582	11069	201 West 2 nd Avenue
584	11074	7249 Cypress Street

590	11110	4099 Cambie Street
591	11124	228 – 246 East Broadway and 180 Kingsway
596	11159	960 – 968 Kingsway and 955 East 19 th Avenue
602	11199	2806 Cambie Street, 2850 Cambie Street, 454 West 12 th Avenue and 465 West 13 th Avenue
607	11243	1155 Thurlow Street
610	11292	3501 – 3523 East Hastings Street and 394 – 398 Skeena Street
614	11294	275 Kingsway (333 East 11 th Avenue)
618	11317	984 West Broadway
620	11374	1412-1424 East 41 st Avenue
626	11487	450 Gore Avenue
627	11486	7510-7554 Cambie Street
630	11525	1600-1620 West 6 th Avenue
637	11622	3063-3091 West Broadway
638	11623	5648-5678 Victoria Drive
642	11664	4375 Arbutus Street
643	11661	1335 Howe Street
647	11707	2805 East Hastings Street
648	11712	6318-6340 Cambie Street
658	11754	2308 East 34 th Avenue
662	11784	5050-5080 Joyce Street
663	11792	1070-1090 West Pender Street
665	11801	585 West 41 st Avenue (5688 Ash Street)
328	11805	4066 Macdonald Street and 2785 Alamein Avenue
659	11770	6505-6541 Main Street
668	11864	101 East 2 nd Avenue
672	11888	2106-2138 Main Street
671	11893	2894 East Broadway
677	11900	3068 Kingsway
682	11933	1495 West 8 th Avenue
684	11944	1837-1847 Main Street and 180 East 2nd Avenue and 157-185 East 3rd Avenue
685	11950	2395-2469 Kingsway
694	12073	371 West 2 nd Avenue
700	12157	3868-3898 Rupert Street and 3304-3308 East 22nd Avenue
679	11930	725-747 Southeast Marine Drive
60	11899	3595 Kingsway
704	12195	155 East 37th Avenue (Little Mountain)
706	12177	8242 Oak Street

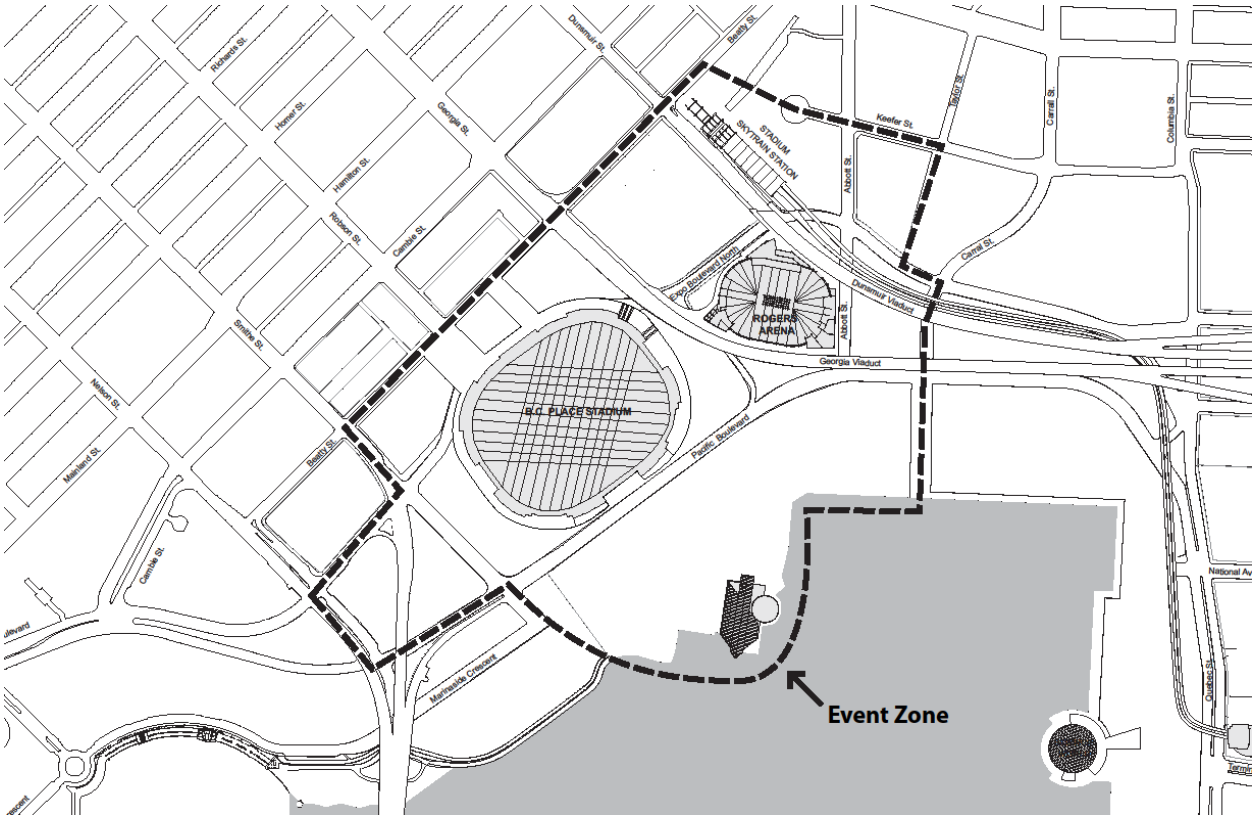
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717	12306	454 West Pender Street
718	12305	424-428 West Pender Street
719	12304	2221-2223 Main Street
720	12326	1715 Cook Street
716	12300	2075 West 12 th Avenue
723	12363	5679 Main Street
728	12425	3070 Kingsway
730	12464	478-496 West 48th Avenue
731	12496	425 West 6th Avenue
732	12497	61-95 West Hastings Street
734	12509	1906-1918 West 4 th Avenue
733	12498	2153-2199 Kingsway
735	12522	58 West Hastings Street
741	12665	1303 Kingsway and 3728 Clark Drive
742	12666	3510 Fraser Street
743	12675	3281-3295 East 22nd Avenue
745	12726	686-688 East 22nd Avenue, 3811-3891 Fraser Street and 679 East 23rd Avenue
746	12744	3429-3469 Fraser Street
756	12861	3435 East Hastings Street
761	12883	1002 Station Street and 250-310 Prior Street
759	12870	3600 East Hastings Street
760	12871	2601-2619 East Hastings Street
768	12940	5055 Joyce Street
772	12962	1102-1138 East Georgia Street
770	12946	6161 Cambie Street
775	12995	4506 Rupert Street and 3309 Price Street
749	12762	420 Hawks Avenue
779	13061	203-263 West 49 th Avenue
780	13062	2406-2488 Garden Drive
781	13082	1111-1123 Kingsway
782	13083	2543-2583 Renfrew Street and 2895 East 10th Avenue
783	13804	2603-2655 Renfrew Street
790	13114	105-125 West 49 th Avenue
784	13107	2735 East Hastings Street
787	13108	835-837 East Hastings Street
786	13104	4745-4795 Main Street
785	13103	3701-3743 West Broadway

792	13144	445 Kingsway and 2935 St. George Street
794	13147	815-825 Commercial Drive and 1680 Adanac Street
793	13154	3220 Cambie Street
796	13177	5740 Cambie Street
801	13221	1636 Clark Drive and 1321-1395 East 1 st Avenue
806	13286	2725-2751 Kingsway
809	13302	810 Kingsway
813	13329	1650 East 12 th Avenue
817	13353	1265-1281 Kingsway
820	13416	3532 East Hastings Street
819	13415	1015 East Hastings Street
826	13478	24 East Broadway and 2520 Ontario Street
830	13482	7280 Fraser Street
832	13484	319-359 West 49th Avenue
839	13493	5590 Victoria Drive
842	13558	1477 West Broadway
843	13588	878-898 West Broadway
844	13589	2202-2218 Main Street and 206 East 6th Avenue
845	13614	728-796 Main Street
846	13625	2406-2484 Renfrew Street
847	13626	131-163 West 49th Avenue
850	13662	4408-4488 Fraser Street and 707-709 East 29th Avenue
851	13696	6409-6461 Cambie Street and 505 West 49th Avenue
854	13700	3304 Kingsway
855	13744	5670 Cambie Street (formerly 495 West 41st Avenue)
859	13776	3970-3998 Main Street
858	13764	427-477 West 49th Avenue
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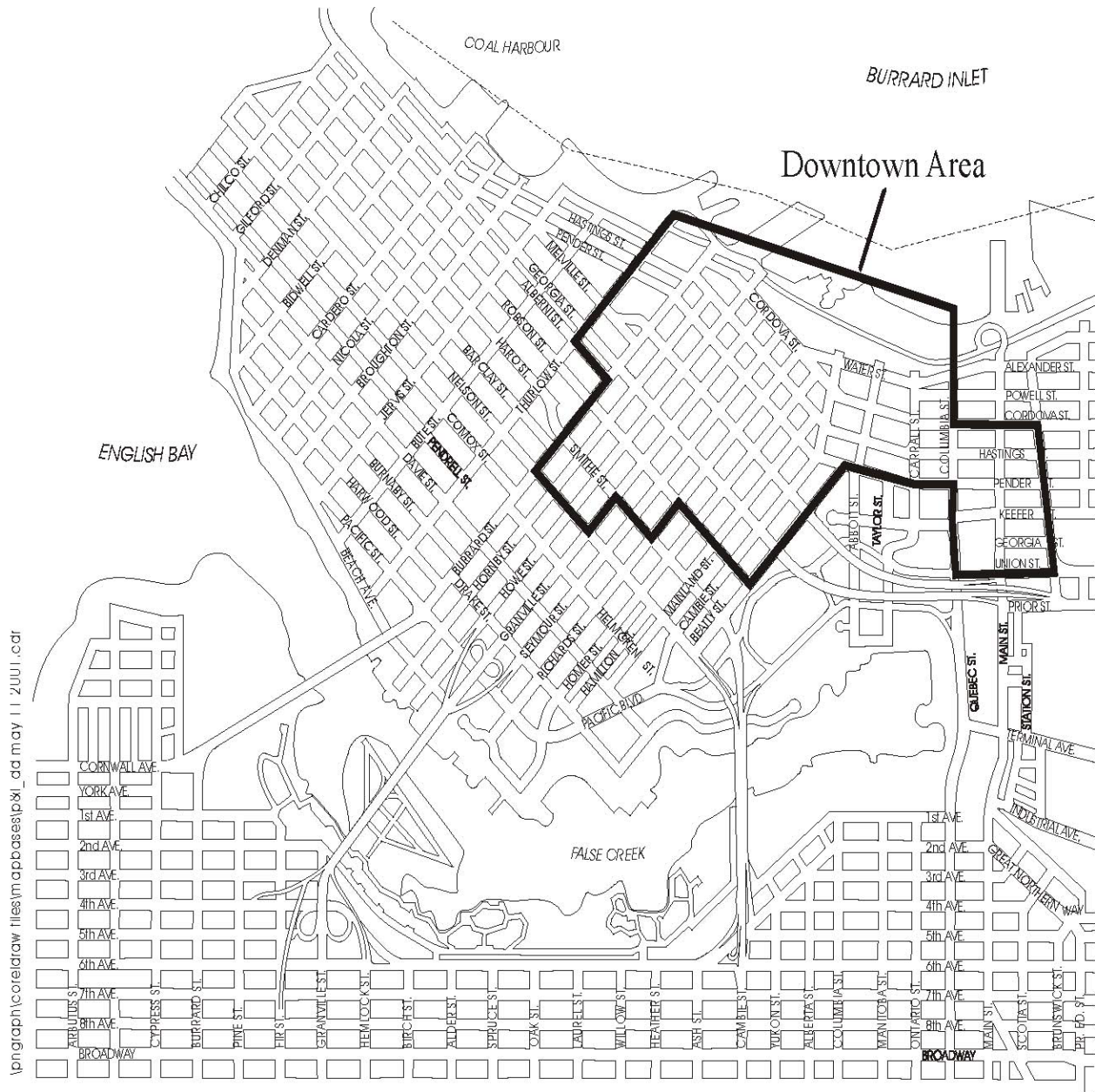
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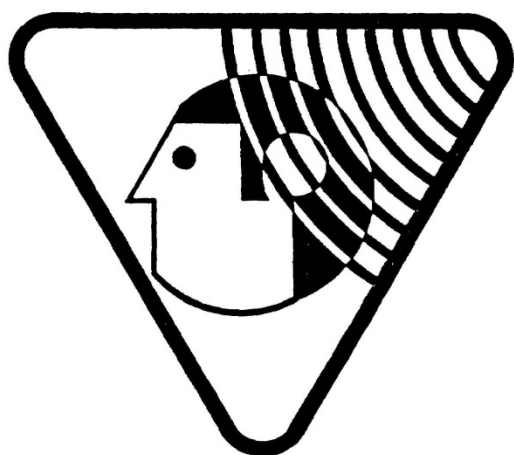
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Schedule C



Schedule D



{MANUFACTURER=S MODEL NUMBER}

MAXIMUM SOUND LEVEL 65 dB(A)
Measured at 50 ft (15m) Per ANSI B175.2-2000

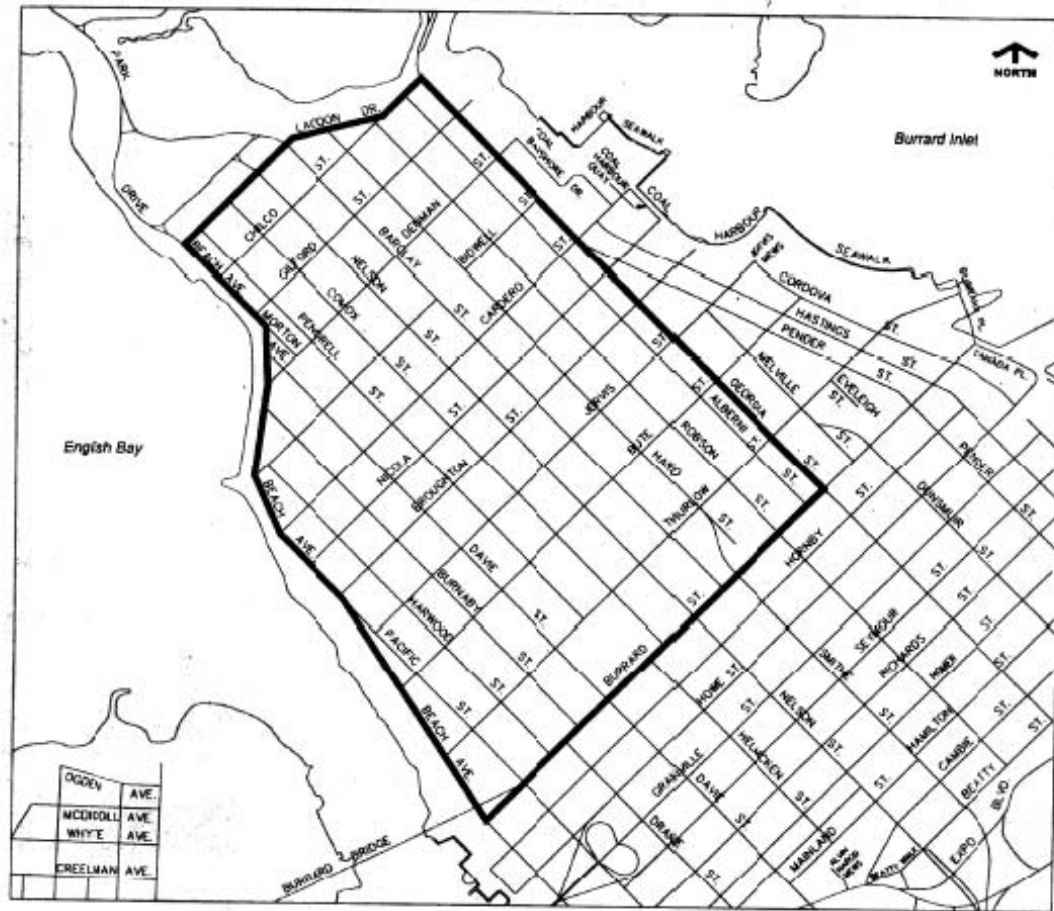
Schedule E

Application under section 17 of the Noise Control By-law

The application noted in section 17(1) shall be in writing and submitted to the Director of Licences and Inspections at least five working days prior to the date of the proposed activity, and shall contain:

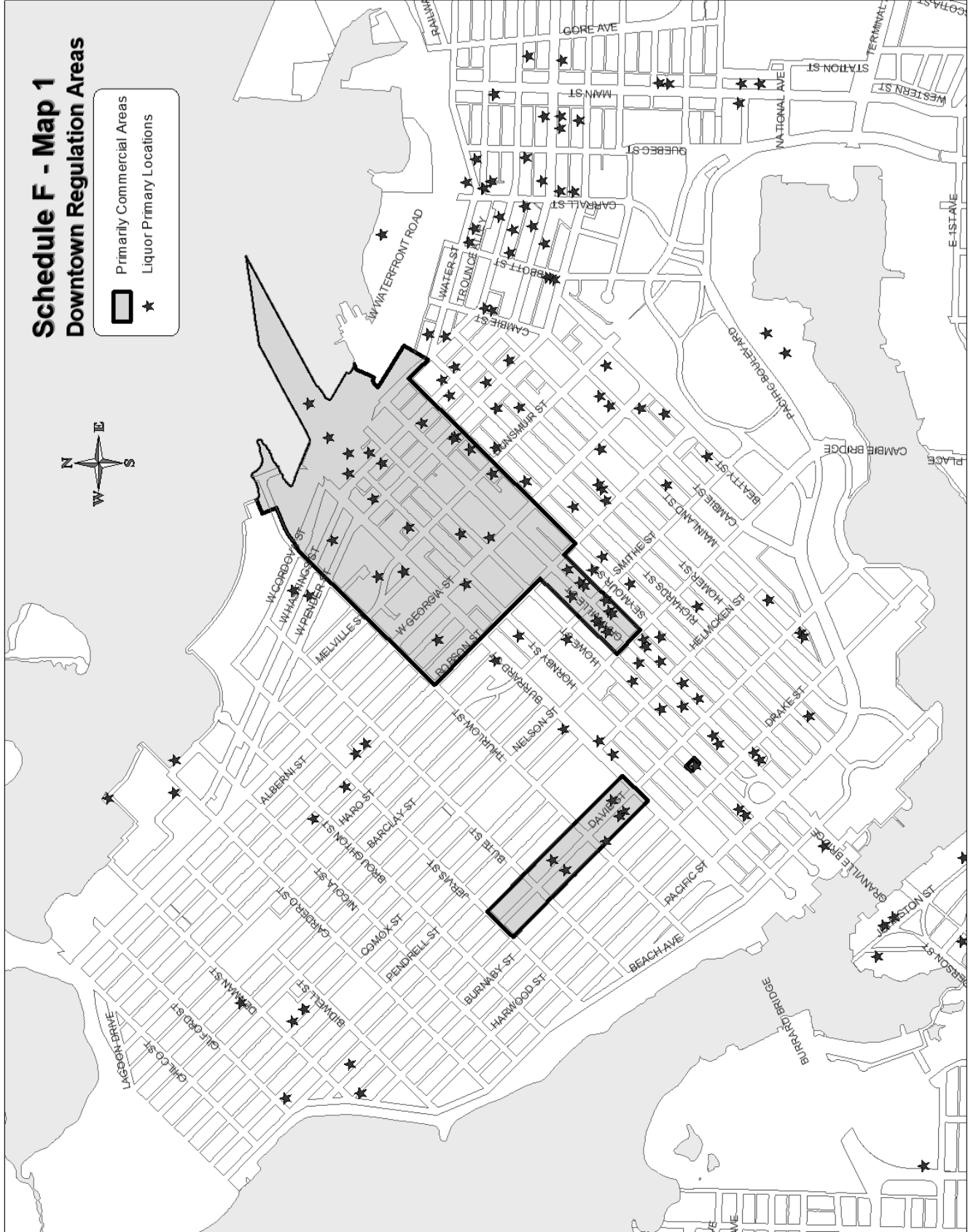
- (a) the name, address, and telephone number of the applicant;
- (b) the address of the construction site;
- (c) the building permit number, if applicable;
- (d) the reason(s) the exception is sought;
- (e) a description of the source(s) of noise in respect of which the exception is sought;
- (f) the exact period of time for which the exception is desired;
- (g) the reason(s) why the exception should be given;
- (h) a statement of the measures planned or presently being taken to minimize the sound or noise; and
- (i) a non-refundable application fee of:
 - (i) for an application submitted at least five working days prior to the date of the proposed activity.....\$237.00
 - (ii) for an application submitted less than five working days prior to the date of the proposed activity\$470.00

Schedule F



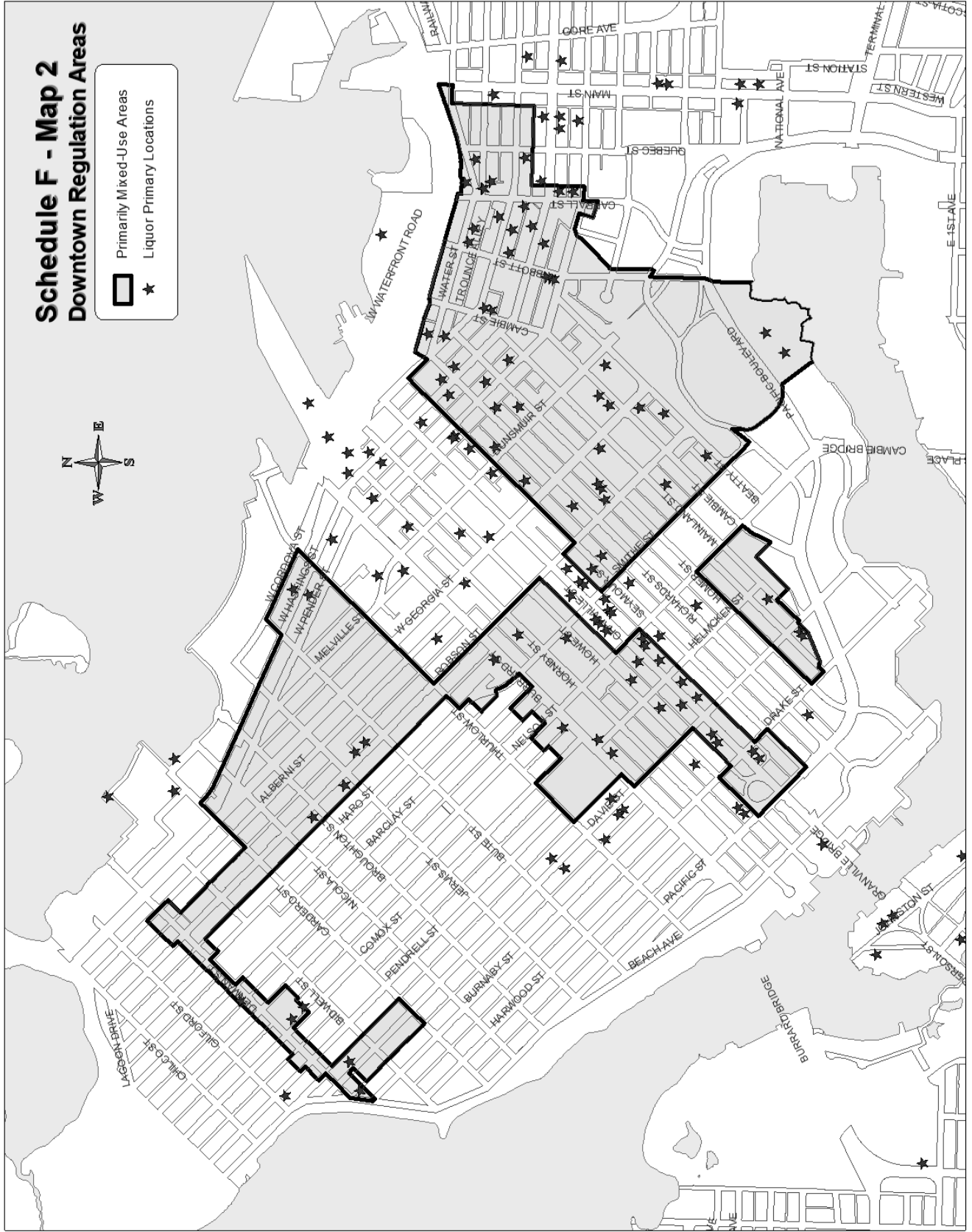
Schedule F - Map 1 Downtown Regulation Areas

- Primarily Commercial Areas
- Liquor Primary Locations



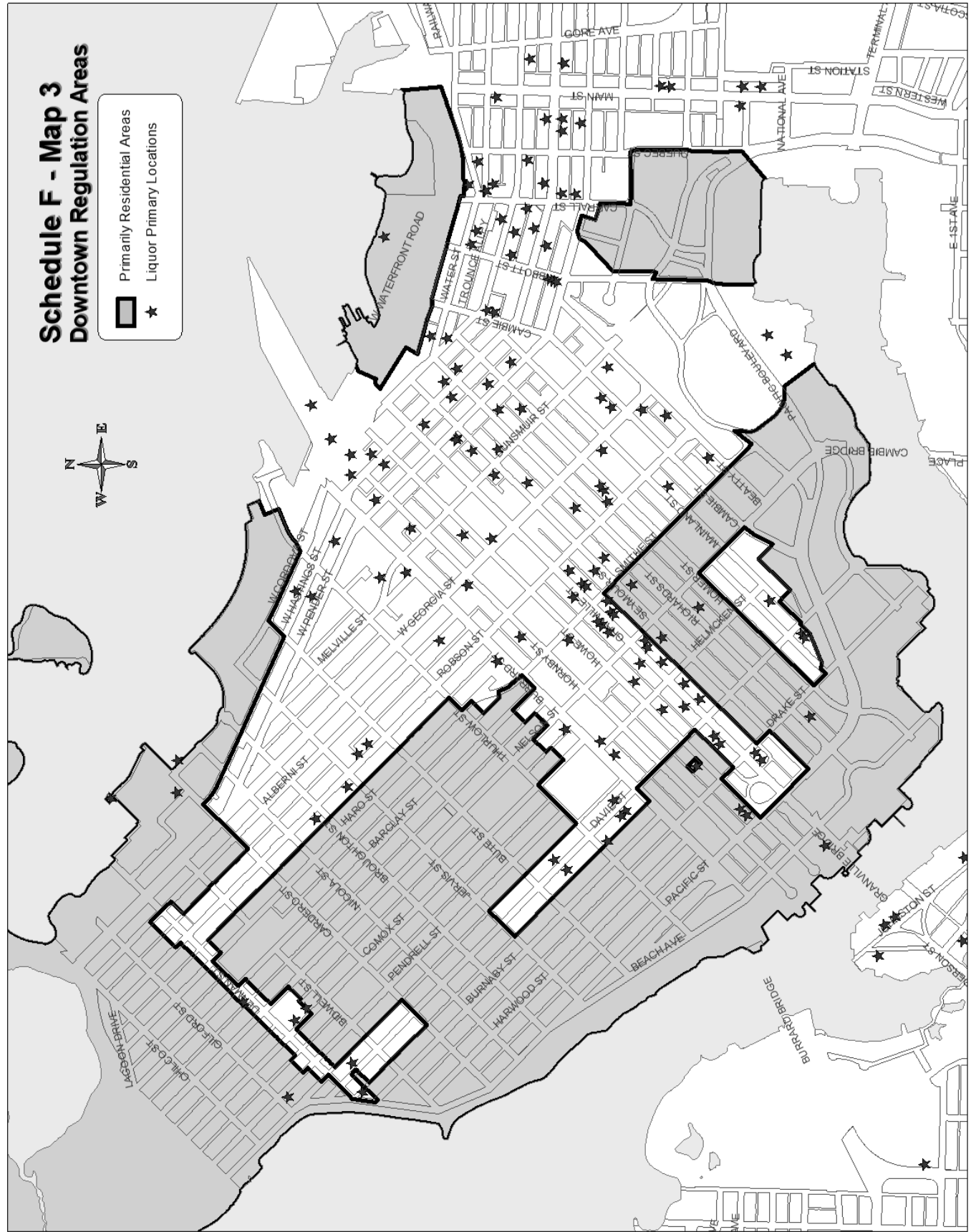
Schedule F - Map 2 **Downtown Regulation Areas**

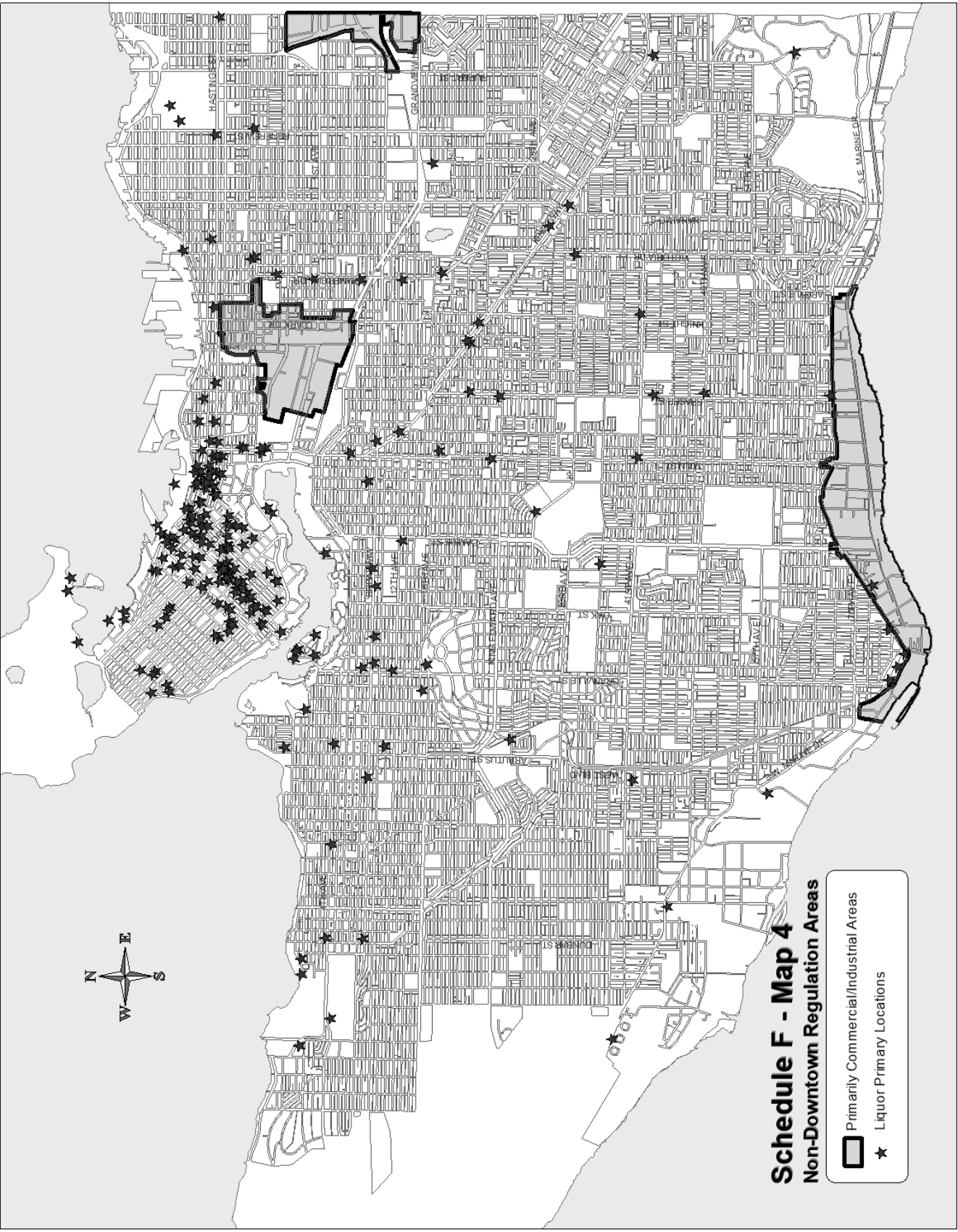
- Primarily Mixed-Use Areas
- Liquor Primary Locations



Schedule F - Map 3 **Downtown Regulation Areas**

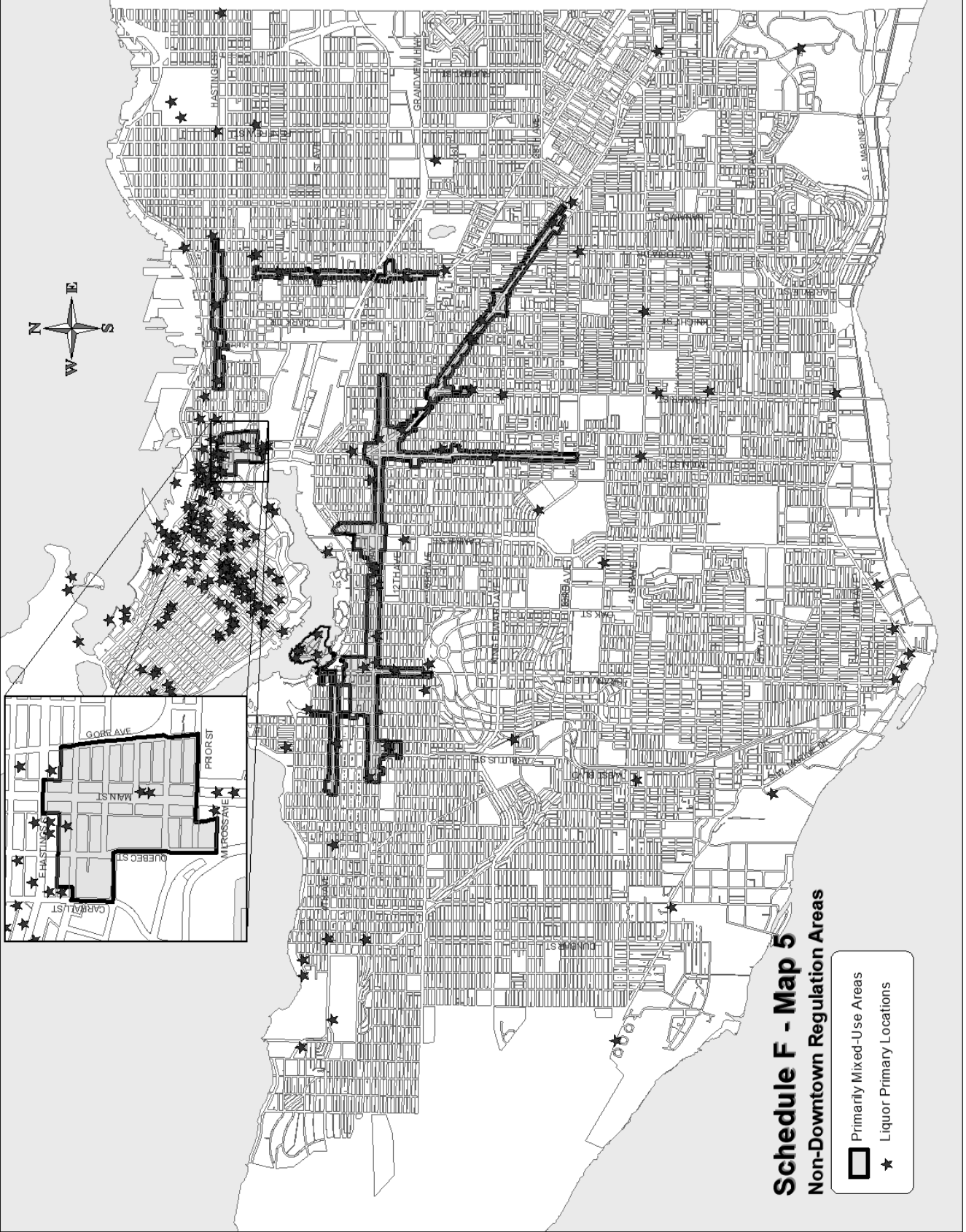
- Primarily Residential Areas
- Liquor Primary Locations

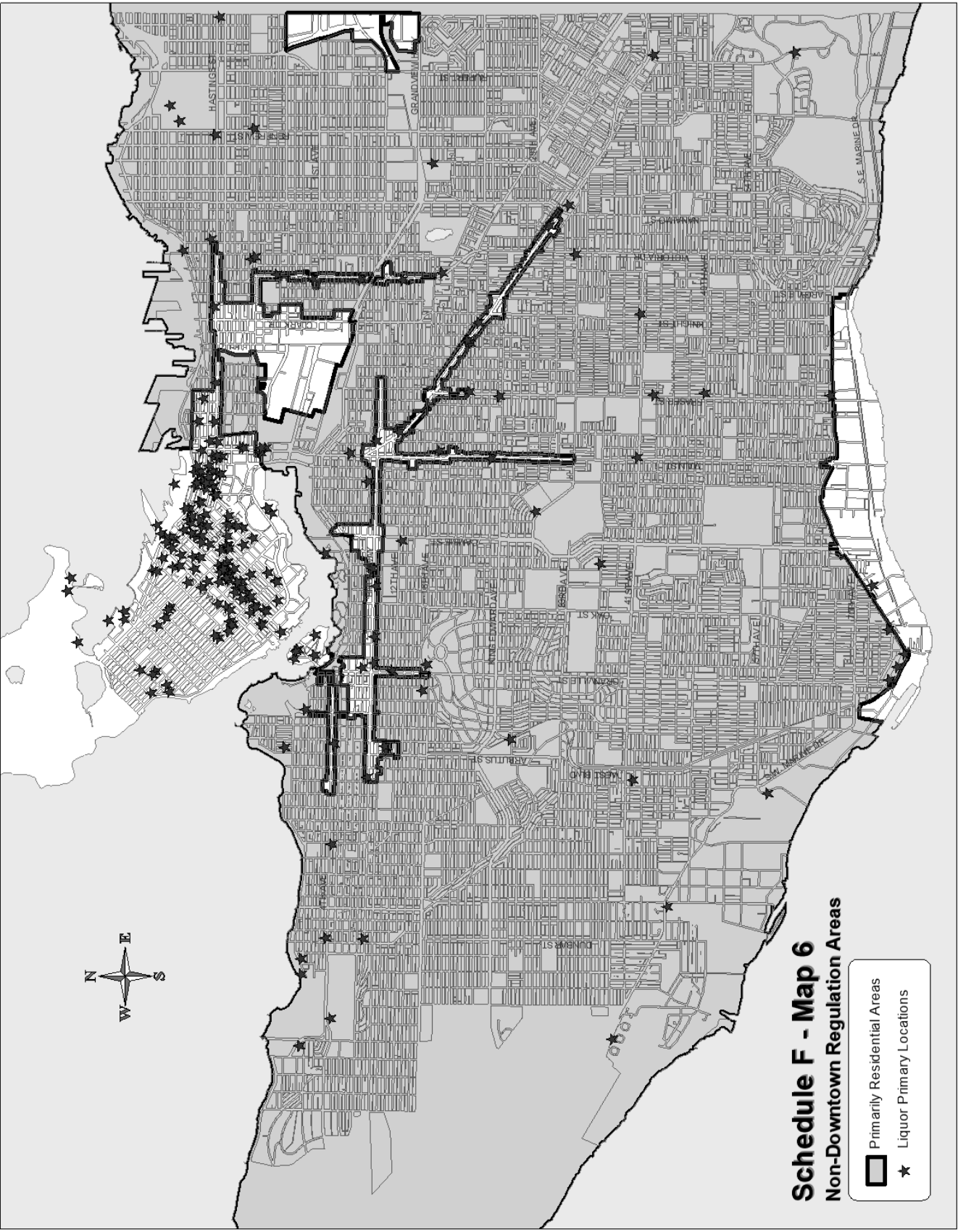




Schedule F - Map 4
Non-Downtown Regulation Areas

- Primarily Commercial/Industrial Areas
- Liquor Primary Locations

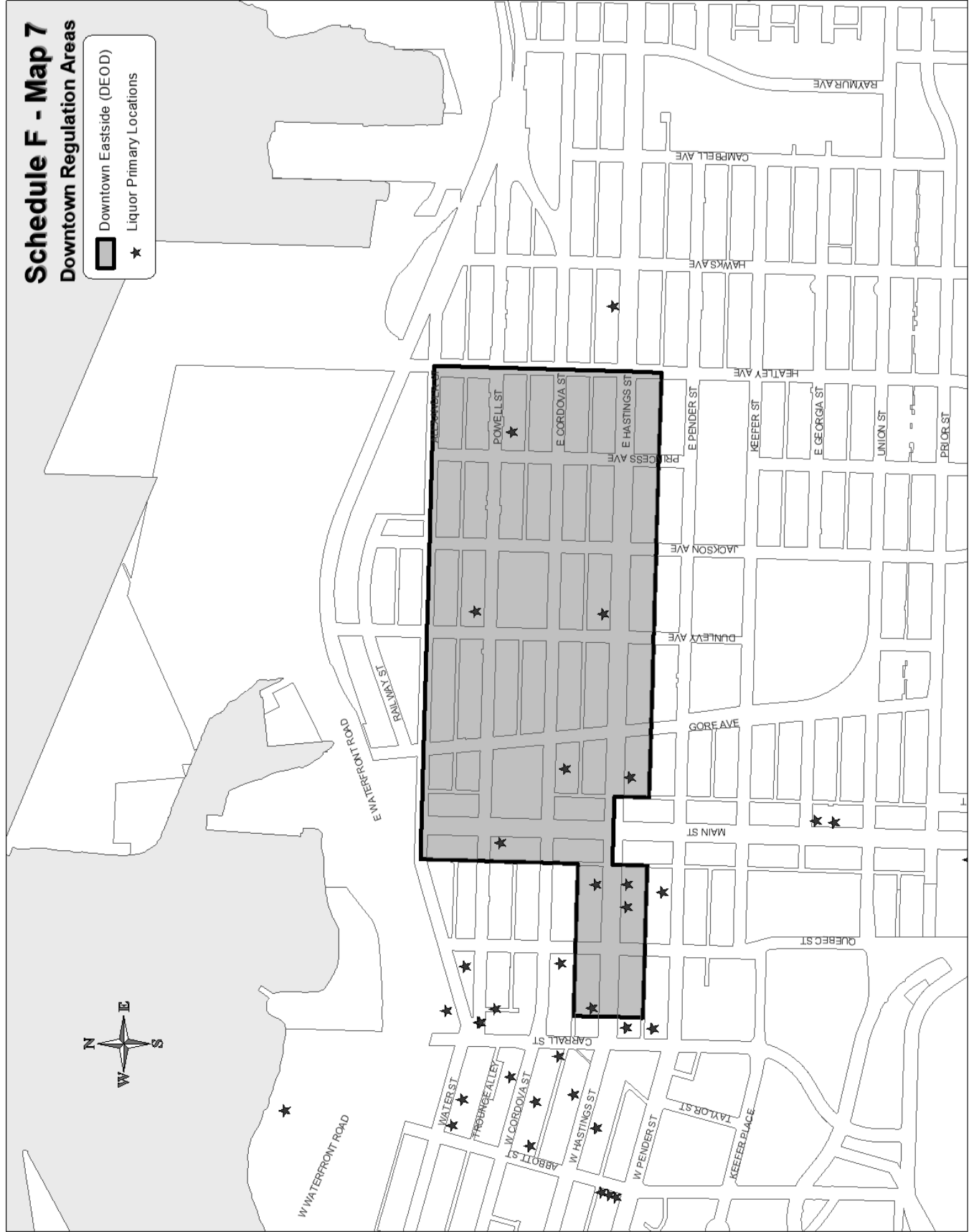




Schedule F - Map 6
Non-Downtown Regulation Areas

- Primarily Residential Areas
- Liquor Primary Locations

Downtown Regulation Areas



Schedule G

Event Zone

The following CD-1 Districts constitute part of the Event Zone:

CD-1#	By-law #	Approximate location
520	10403	10 Terry Fox Way
519	10404	777 Pacific Boulevard
311	7201	800 Griffiths Way
593	11125	998 Expo Boulevard (Concord Area 5B West)