



Let's Get Started

It is very important that everyone understands all responsibilities involved to ensure that the most memorable, romantic and happiest Marriage Ceremony experience takes place. Upon signing "Weddings By Tamara Agreement", I am confident that couples will be accountable for what has been agreed to herein, so that your Marriage Ceremony is everything you wish it to be.

Fees

The fee of \$295 includes GST, pre-wedding consultation, creation of personalized Marriage Ceremony, travel expenses within city limits, facilitation of Marriage Ceremony, Civil Marriage Statement (written in Calligraphy), Marriage Ceremony keepsake (printed on wedding stationary) and submission of Marriage License to Alberta Vital Statistics.

Gratuities are welcomed.

Travel expenses are incurred if location of Marriage Ceremony takes place outside Calgary city-limits. Travel expenses are calculated at \$0.75/km from my home (NW Calgary and return) using MapQuest. Set fees for Marriage Ceremonies outside of Calgary (including travel) are:

Cochrane ~ \$325 / Airdrie ~ \$325 / DeWinton ~ \$360
Kananaskis ~ \$450 / Canmore - \$475 / Banff - \$500

Destination Ceremonies and Elopements

The fee of \$220 will apply for Elopements (standard/minimum requirements) or to have marriage legalized before leaving Canada for a Destination Marriage Ceremony. Travel expenses will be added for locations outside of Calgary.

If witnesses need to be provided (by myself) for Elopement Ceremony, the fee of \$20 per witness will apply. (It is unlawful to be married without two adult witnesses).

Method of Payment

Cash, money order, e-mail money transfer and cheques are accepted as method of payment.

Deposit

A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is required to confirm and guarantee date and time of Marriage Ceremony. Invoice will be provided to clients as confirmation of receipt of payment.

Cancellations/Postponements

The fee of \$100 (initial deposit) will be applied for cancellation fee. There is no fee to postpone or change ceremony date and/or time (upon availability).

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Punctuality

It is essential that couples try to arrive early at Marriage Ceremony location, and no later than 20-30 minutes prior to the Ceremony. Time is needed to complete legal documentation and to share important information that will enhance your Marriage Ceremony experience. This is also a great time to take a big breath and take everything in. Remember...no one will be rushed.....

Marriage License

Please have your Marriage License ready upon my arrival at Marriage Ceremony location.

Ceremony Format

All plans regarding where bridal party stands, processional, recessional, music and any readings are completely up to the clients. If advice is needed, please advise and assistance (on-line) will be provided at no additional charge.

Ceremony Rehearsal

The fee of \$150 is applied for my attendance and running the Marriage Ceremony Rehearsal. Bookings accepted upon availability.

Outdoor Ceremonies

If you wish to marry outdoors, in a public, rural or “unusual” place, please provide a detailed map of the exact location with completed “*Weddings by Tamara Agreement*”. Please have a “*Plan B*” in place due to unforeseen weather challenges.

A Few More Points To Remember

- ~It is unlawful to be married without a Marriage License.
- ~It is unlawful to be married while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- ~It is unlawful to be married without two adult witnesses.

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Agreement with Weddings by Tamara

Date and Time of Marriage Ceremony _____
Location and Address of Marriage Ceremony _____
Telephone Number of Venue _____
*Please include map for outdoor weddings _____

Partner (1) _____
(Please print full legal name)
Mailing address _____
City/Province/PC _____
Telephone number(s) _____
Residence _____ Cell _____

E-mail address _____

Partner (2) _____
(Please print full legal name)
Mailing address _____
City/Province/PC _____
Telephone number(s) _____
Residence _____ Cell _____

E-mail address _____

Witnesses

These are the two adults who will sign the Marriage License as witnesses. Full legal names and full mailing addresses are required please.

Witness (1) _____
(Please print full legal name)
Mailing address _____
City/Province/PC _____

Witness (2) _____
(Please print full legal name)
Mailing address _____
City/Province/PC _____

A Few Ceremony Details (to get started)

1. Do you wish to write your own vows? Yes/No
*If yes, do you need advice? Yes/No
2. Will there be a recession/precession? Yes/No
*If yes, do you need advice? Yes/No
3. Do you have a Wedding Planner? Yes/No
*If yes, please provide contact information.

4. How do you wish to be pronounced at the end of the Marriage Ceremony?

5. Please provide any additional notes regarding your Marriage Ceremony here.

Specialized Ceremonies

There are many specialized ceremonies that may be included in your Marriage Ceremony. Please select the one(s) that you are interested in discussing further.

- Blended Family Vow Ceremony
- Breaking of the Glass
- Champagne Ceremony
- Hand Ceremony
- Celtic Hand Binding Ceremony
- Love Letter Ceremony (Box Keepsake)
- Memorial Candle Ceremony
- Moment of Recognition to Parents Ceremony
- Ring Warming Ceremony
- Rose Ceremony
- Rose Ceremony to Mothers
- Sand Ceremony
- Stone Ceremony
- Unity Candle Ceremony
- Wine Ceremony

Having read and signed this document, our signatures affirm our Agreement with *Weddings by Tamara*.

Partner (1) _____

Partner (2) _____

Date _____

Please return completed Agreement with \$100 deposit to confirm booking. Please keep a copy for your records.