## Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations

Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H4

I, Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations, HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the following by-law made by the Spuzzum First Nation in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 23rd day of July 2019.

Spuzzum First Nation
 Annual Rates By-law 2019

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 16 day of October 2019.

Hon. Carolyn Bennett, M.D., P.C., M.P.



## **SPUZZUM FIRST NATION**

## **ANNUAL RATES BY-LAW 2019**

WHEREAS pursuant to the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 1985, and specifically paragraph 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, 1985, c.I-5, the Council of a band may make by-laws for the purpose of taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, including rights to occupy, possess or use land in a reserve and with respect to any matters arising out of or ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Spuzzum First Nation (also known as the Spuzzum Indian Band) enacted the *Spuzzum Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation By-law* on March 9, 1992;

NOW BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the following by-law be and is hereby enacted pursuant to the provisions of the *Indian Act*, and in particular section 83(1) for the purpose of establishing annual rates of taxation.

- 1. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the Spuzzum First Nation Rates By-law 2019.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 152 of the *Spuzzum Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation By-law*, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms part of the 2019 Rates By-law.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the 23 day of July 2019 at Spuzzum in the Province of British Columbia.

A quorum of Council consists of (2) members of Council.

Chief James Hobart

Councilor Diana Stromquist

Councilor Chad Edwards

## SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Spuzzum First Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2019 taxation year for the following classes of property.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 152 of the Spuzzum Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation By-law.	Rate of Tax applied against each \$1,000.00 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part IV of the Spuzzum Indian Band Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw.
Class 1 - Residential	
Class 2 - Utilities	57.354210
Class 3 - Unmanaged Forest Land	
Class 4 - Major Industry	
Class 5 - Light Industry	
Class 6 - Business and Other	16.656140
Class 7 - Managed Forest Land	
Class 8 - Recreation/Non-Profit Organization	
Class 9 - Farm	