

Ministre des Affaires
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Minister of Indigenous and
Northern Affairs

Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H4

I, Minister of Indigenous and Northern Affairs, HEREBY APPROVE,
pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the following by-law made by the
Fort Nelson First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting
held on the 25th day of October 2016.

- **Fort Nelson First Nation
Rates By-law 2016**

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this day of DEC 05 2016 2016.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Carolyn Bennett'.

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

FORT NELSON FIRST NATION

2016 RATES BY-LAW

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 matter arising out of or ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Fort Nelson First Nation (also known as the Fort Nelson Indian Band) enacted the *Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw* on April 27, 1994;

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 Fort Nelson First Nation Rates By-law 2016.
2. Pursuant to Section 18.1 of the Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms part of the Fort Nelson First Nation Rates By-law 2016.

This by-law is hereby enacted by Council at a duly-convened meeting held on the 25th day of October, 2016.

Quorum is of 4 council members.



Chief [Liz Logan]



Councillor [Harvey Behn]



Councillor [Cynthia Burke]

Councillor [Patricia Capot-Blanc]



Councillor [Harrison Dickie]



Councillor [Sharleen Gale]



Councillor [Renee Lomen]

SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Fort Nelson First Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2016 taxation year for the following classes of property:

Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 18.1 of the <i>Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw</i>.	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 <i>Fort Nelson Indian Band Property Taxation Bylaw</i>.
Class 1 – Residential	0
Class 2 – Utilities	37.20
Class 3 – Supportive Housing	0
Class 4 – Major Industry	26.25
Class 5 – Light Industry	31.87
Class 6 – Business and Other	0
Class 7 – Managed Forest Land	0
Class 8 – Recreation/Non-Profit Organization	0
Class 9 – Farm	0