

**BY-LAW NO. 1999 - 01  
of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation**

**a Bylaw for the Prevention of  
Disorderly Conduct**

ENACTED ON THE 15 DAY OF APRIL, 1999

**WHEREAS** the Council of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation desires to make a by-law governing the prevention of disorderly conduct, with respect to any matter arising out of our ancillary to the exercise of powers under **Section 81** of the Indian Act, and for the imposition of a penalty for a violation thereof:

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation is empowered to make such by-law pursuant to **Paragraphs 81(1)(d), (q) and (r)** of the Indian Act;

**AND WHEREAS** it is considered to be expedient and necessary for the benefit, comfort and safety of the inhabitants of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation to provide for the prevention of disorderly conduct on the Reserve;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation hereby makes the following by-law:

**1. Short Title:**

- a) This by-law may be cited as the "Disorderly Conduct By-law of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation (No. 360)".

**2. Interpretation:**

a) In this by-law:

- "Band" means the Sturgeon Lake First Nation;
- "Council" means the Council of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation;
- "Disorderly Conduct" means any act of behaviour, including:
  - ⇒ Fighting
  - ⇒ Making or causing unreasonable noise
  - ⇒ Using abusive language
  - ⇒ Using offensive or indecent gestures or displays
  - ⇒ Being drunk
  - ⇒ Loitering

- ⇒ exposing, firing or discharging any gun, pistol or other firearms in a manner dangerous to people, livestock or property, using or threatening to use any other article as a weapon.
- ⇒ Interfering in any manner with the orderly conduct of commercial, administrative, educational, recreational, health care, religious or ceremonial activities on the Reserve, or;
- ⇒ Damaging or destroying the property of other people of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation,

That disrupts public order on the Reserve, scandalizes the community, or causes public inconvenience, annoyance or alarm;

"Officer" means any police officer, police constable or other person charged with the duty to preserve and maintain the public peace, and a by-law officer or any other person appointed by the Council for the purpose of maintaining law and order on the Reserve;

"Person" includes a corporation;

"Reserve" means the Reserves of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation (No. 360) and includes the Band's Reserves No. 101 and No. 101A.

### **3. Disorderly Conduct**

- a) Everyone who commits an act of disorderly conduct is guilty of an offense.
- b) An officer may order any person who is engaging in any disorderly conduct to stop such conduct immediately.

### **4. Enforcement**

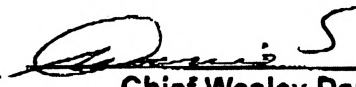
- a) Where as person who has been ordered to stop engaging in disorderly conduct, fails or refuses to comply with the order, an officer may take such reasonable measures as are necessary to stop the disorderly conduct.
- b) A person who fails or refuses to comply with an order made under subsection 3(2) or who resists or interferes with an officer acting under subsection 4(1), commits an offense.

5. Penalty

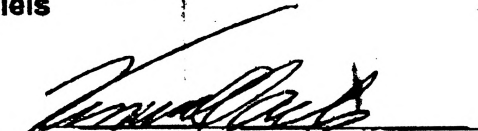
- a) A person who commits an offense under this by-law is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty days, or to both.

**THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY** made at a duly convened meeting of the Council of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation this 15 day of APRIL, 19 99

Voting in favor of the by-law are the following members of the Council:

  
 Chief Wesley Daniels

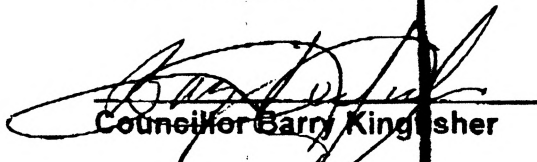
  
 Councillor Craig Bighead

  
 Councillor Vincent Daniels

  
 Councillor James Felix

  
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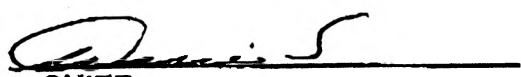
  
 Councillor William Turner


  
 Councillor Barry Kingisher

The quorum of the Council is 4 members.

Number of members of the Council present at the meeting 7

I, Wesley Daniels, Chief of the Sturgeon Lake First Nation, do hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing by-law was mailed to the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development at the North Central District Office, pursuant to subsection 82(1) of the Indian Act, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of APRIL, 19 99.

  
 CHIEF

  
 WITNESS