

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 Boston Bar First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 23rd day of June 2021.

Boston Bar First Nation
Annual Expenditure By-law, 2021

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 🖖 day of

July

2021.

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

Canada

BOSTON BAR FIRST NATION ANNUAL EXPENDITURE BY-LAW, 2021

WHEREAS:

- A. Pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the council of a First Nation may make by-laws respecting taxation for local purposes of reserve lands, interests in reserve lands or rights to occupy, possess or use reserve lands, including by-laws authorizing the expenditure of local revenues;
- B. The Council of the Boston Bar First Nation has enacted Boston Bar First Nation Taxation By-law, 2004, respecting taxation for local purposes on reserve; and
- C. The Council of the Boston Bar First Nation wishes to enact this expenditure by-law to establish a budget for the expenditure of revenues raised under its property taxation by-law in the current taxation year;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Boston Bar First Nation duly enacts as follows:

- 1. This By-law may be cited as the Boston Bar First Nation Annual Expenditure By-law, 2021.
- 2. In this By-law:
- "Act" means the Indian Act, R.S.C. 1985, c. I-5, and the regulations made under that Act;
- "annual budget" means a budget setting out the projected local revenues and projected expenditures of those local revenues during the budget year;
- "annual expenditure by-law" means a by-law enacted under subsection 83(2) of the Act;
- "Council" has the same meaning as "council of the band" in subsection 2(1) of the Act;
- "First Nation" means the Boston Bar First Nation, being a band under the Act;
- "local revenues" means money raised by the First Nation under a property taxation by-law and payments made to a First Nation in lieu of a tax imposed under a by-law enacted under subsection 83(1) of the Act:
- "property taxation by-law" means a by-law enacted under subsection 83(1) of the Act, and
- "Taxation By-law" means the Boston Bar First Nation Property Taxation By-law, 2004:
- 3. The First Nation's annual budget for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2021 and ending March 31, 2022 is attached as a Schedule to this By-law and the expenditures provided for in the Schedule are authorized.
 - 4. Expenditures of local revenues must be made only in accordance with the annual budget.
- 5. Where the First Nation wishes to authorize an expenditure not authorized in this By-law, or change the amount of an expenditure authorized, Council must amend this By-law in accordance with Council procedure and the requirements of the Act.
- 6. Except where otherwise defined, words and expressions used in this By-law have the meanings given to them in the Taxation By-law.
- 7. This By-law authorizes the expenditure of contingency amounts as necessary within any of the categories of expenditures set out in the Schedule.
- 8. Where a provision in this By-law is expressed in the present tense, the provision applies to the circumstances as they arise.
- 9. This By-law must be construed as being remedial and must be given such fair, large and liberal construction and interpretation as best ensures the attainment of its objectives.
 - 10. The Schedule attached to this By-law forms part of and is an integral part of this By-law.

11. This By-law comes into force and effect upon the approval of the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the Zarday of June, 2021, at Boston Bar, in the Province of British Columbia.

A quorum of Council consists of three (3) members of Council.

Chief Dolores O'Donaghey

Councillor Terry Phillips

Councillor Yvonne Andrew

Councillor Pamela Robertson

SCHEDULE

ANNUAL BUDGET

PART 1: REVENUES

1. Local revenues to be collected in budget year:

a. Property Tax Revenues

\$23,101.65

TOTAL REVENUES

\$23,101.65

PART 2: EXPENDITURES

1. General Government Expenditures

a. Executive and Legislative.

\$ 10,395.80

b. General Administrative

\$ 10,395.85

10. Contingency Amounts

\$2,310.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$23,101.65

BALANCE

\$0