



FIRST NATIONS TAX COMMISSION
COMMISSION DE LA FISCALITÉ DES PREMIÈRES NATIONS

The First Nations Tax Commission, pursuant to the *First Nations Fiscal Management Act*, hereby approves the following law made by the Sunchild First Nation in the Province of Alberta,

SUNCHILD FIRST NATION
ANNUAL TAX RATES LAW, 2022

Dated at Kamloops, British Columbia this 14th day of September 2022.





Chief Commissioner C.T. (Manny) Jules
On behalf of the First Nations Tax Commission





Chronological No.: 2587
File Reference No.:

BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION

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The Council of the: SUNCHILD FIRST NATION		Cash free balance
Date of duly convened meeting: August 31, 2022	Province: Alberta	Capital account:
		Revenue account:

WHEREAS the Chief and Council ("Council") of Sunchild First Nation (the "Nation") are empowered to act on behalf of the Nation, and Council met in quorum at a duly convened meeting of the Council on August 31, 2022;

AND WHEREAS the Nation has inherent rights to govern its lands, and Treaty, Constitutional and statutory rights to govern the Nation's reserve lands (the "Reserve");

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

WHEREAS:

A. Pursuant to section 5 of the *First Nations Fiscal Management Act*, the council of a first nation may make laws respecting taxation for local purposes of reserve lands and interests or rights in reserve lands, including laws to establish tax rates and apply them to the assessed value of those lands and interests or rights;

B. The council of the First Nation has made a property assessment law and a property taxation law; and

C. Subsection 10(1) of the *First Nations Fiscal Management Act* requires a first nation that has made a property taxation law to, at least once each year, make a law setting the rate of tax to be applied to the assessed value of each class of lands and interests or rights;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Sunchild First Nation duly enacts as follows:

1. This Law may be cited as the *Sunchild First Nation Annual Tax Rates Law, 2022*.
2. In this Law:

"Act" means the *First Nations Fiscal Management Act*, S.C. 2005, c. 9, and the regulations made under that Act;

"Assessment Law" means the *Sunchild First Nation Property Assessment Law, 2022*;

"First Nation" means the Sunchild First Nation, being a band named in the schedule to the Act;

"property taxation law" means a law enacted by the First Nation under paragraph 5(1)(a) of the Act;

"taxable property" has the meaning given to that term in the Taxation Law; and

"Taxation Law" means the *Sunchild First Nation Property Taxation Law, 2022*.


 Councillor Clint McHugh


 Chief Jonathan Frencheater


 Councillor Audrey Crookdules


 Councillor Joey Pete


 Councillor James Frencheater


 Councillor Adriel Bigchild

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Expenditure	Authority: (Indian Act Section)	Source of Funds: Capital Revenue	Expenditure:	Authority: (Indian Act Section)	Source of Funds: Capital Revenue
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Signature		Date	Signature		Date
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3. Taxes levied pursuant to the Taxation Law for the taxation year 2022 shall be determined by imposing the rates set out in the Schedule upon the assessed value of all taxable property in each property class.

4. Except where otherwise defined, words and expressions used in this Law have the meanings given to them in the Assessment Law and the Taxation Law.

5. Where a provision in this Law is expressed in the present tense, the provision applies to the circumstances as they arise.

6. This 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.

7. The Schedule attached to this Law forms part of and is an integral part of this Law.

8. This Law comes into force and effect on the day after it is approved by the First Nations Tax Commission.

THIS LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the ___ day of _____, 20___, at _____, in the province of _____.

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

[Name] _____
Chief [Please spell out the name]

[Name] _____
Councillor [Please spell out the name]

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SCHEDULE TAX RATES

PROPERTY CLASS	RATE PER \$1,000 of Assessed Value
Class 2 – Non-Residential & Linear Property	15.4289
Class 4 - Machinery and Equipment	11.5626

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