

Ministre des
Relations Couronne-Autochtones



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 Alexander First Nation in the Province of Alberta, at a meeting held on the 28th day of May 2019.

- **Alexander First Nation
Annual Expenditure By-law, 2019**

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 30th day of August 2019.

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

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



Alexander First Nation

Chronological no. 2019-2020-09
File Reference no.

BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION		Cash free balance						
		Capital account \$ <u>0</u>						
Date of duly convened meeting	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>D</td> <td>M</td> <td>Y</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>8</td> <td>05</td> </tr> </table>	D	M	Y	2	8	05	Province Alberta
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		Revenue account \$ <u>0</u>						

DO HEREBY RESOLVE:

WHEREAS: the Alexander First Nation elected government is comprised of one (1) Chief and six (6) Council otherwise known as the Council; and

WHEREAS: the Alexander First Nation government complies with and adheres to an operating governing structure which is defined to be a minimum of four (4) elected members of Council, who are sanctioned and empowered as stipulated and or implied under the *Indian Act*, and the Alexander Tribal Customary Election Regulations and to make decisions on all matters of the Alexander First Nation; and

WHEREAS: the Alexander First Nation elected council have the *Fiduciary Duty* to undertake necessary proceedings and act in the best interest of its members; and

ALEXANDER FIRST NATION - ANNUAL EXPENDITURE BY-LAW, 2019

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 Alexander First Nation has enacted the *Alexander First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation By-law 2011*, respecting taxation for local purposes on reserve; and
- C. The Council of the Alexander 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 Alexander First Nation duly enacts as follows:

1. This By-law may be cited as the *Alexander First Nation Annual Expenditure By-law, 2019*.
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 Alexander 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 *Alexander First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation By-law - 2011*.
3. The First Nation's annual budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2019 and ending December 31, 2019, 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 28th day of May, 2019, at Alexander First Nation, in the Province of Alberta.

Quorum <u>4</u> (Councillor) Anita Arcand	 (Chief) Kurt Burnstick	
 (Councillor) Cheryl Savoie	 (Councillor) Marcel Paul	 (Councillor) Christopher Arcand

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Expenditure	Authority	Source of funds	Expenditure	Authority	Source of funds
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Approving officer			Approving officer		
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**SCHEDULE
ANNUAL BUDGET - Expenditures 2019**

PART 1: REVENUES

1. Local revenues to be collected in budget year:

a. Property Tax Revenues	171,413.34
TOTAL REVENUES	171,413.34

PART 2: EXPENDITURES

1. General Government Expenditures

a. Executive and Legislative	-
b. General Administrative	51,413.34
c. Other General Government	-

2. Protection Services

a. Policing	-
b. Firefighting	-
c. Regulatory Measures	-
d. Other Protective Services	-

3. Transportation

a. Roads and Streets	-
b. Snow and Ice Removal	-
c. Parking	-
d. Public Transit	-
e. Other Transportation	-

4. Recreation and Cultural Services

a. Recreation	50,000.00
b. Culture	10,000.00
c. Heritage Protection	-
d. Other Recreation and Culture	-

5. Community Development

a. Housing	-
b. Planning and Zoning	-
c. Community Planning	-
d. Economic Development Program	-
e. Tourism	-
f. Trade and Industry	-
g. Land Rehabilitation and Beautification	-
h. Other Regional Planning and Development	-

6. Environment Health Services

a. Water Purification and Supply	-
b. Sewage Collection and Disposal	-
c. Garbage Waste Collection and Disposal	-
d. Recycling	-
e. Other Environmental Services	-

7. Fiscal Services

a. Debt Payments	-
b. Accelerated Debt Payments	-
c. Other Fiscal Services	-

8. Other Services

a. Health	-
b. Social Programs and Assistance	60,000.00
c. Agriculture	-
d. Education	-
e. Other Service	-

9. Contingency Amounts

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PART 3: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS/DEFICIT

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