I, Minister of Indigenous and Northern Affairs, HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the following by-law made by the Snuneymuxw First Nation, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 23rd day of August 2016.

- Snuneymuxw First Nation Rates By-law 2016-1

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this (5 day of Member 2016.

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



SNUNEYMUXW FIRST NATION

By-Law No 2016-1

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 our ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS THE Council of the Snuneymuxw First Nation enacted both the Nanaimo Indian Band Assessment By-law and the Nanaimo Band Taxation By-law on September 23, 1992, each of which received Minister's approval on January 23, 1993;

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 Snuneymuxw First Nation Taxation Rates By-law 2016-1.
- Pursuant to the Nanaimo Indian Band Taxation By-law, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A", which is hereto attached, and forms part of the 2016 Taxation Rates By-law.

This by-law is hereby enacted by Chief and Council at the duly convened meeting held on the day of August 23, 2016.

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Councillor Douglas (White II	Councillor Christopher Good	Councillor Stacy Good
Councillor Dougles White III	Councillor Isaac Thomas	Councillor Michael Wyse
Councillor Paul Wyse Seward	Councillor Regan Seward	Councillor James Seward
	Councillor Erralyn Thomas	

SCHEDULE A

The Council of the Snuneymuxw First Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rate for the 2016 taxation year for the following classes of property

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	
Class of Property as perescribed under Schedule II and section 152 and 156 of the Snuneymuxw First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation By-law.	Rate of Tax applied against each \$1,000.00 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part VII of the Snuneymuxw First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation By-law.	
Class	Rate	
01 - Residential	9.136	
02 - Utilities	67.462	
03 - Supportive Housing	6.9877	
04 - Major Industry	20.8262	
05 - Light Industry	23.7242	
06 - Business and Other	22.982	
07 - Managed Forest Land	29.469	
08 - Recreation/Non Profit Organization	14.3254	
09 - Farm	4.8206	

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Property Tax Budget 2016

Revenue		\$29,910.00
Expen	diture	
	Community Workshops	\$14,320.00
	Equipment	\$ 2,400.00
	Training	\$ 2,000.00
	Equipment Rental and Lease	\$10,000.00
	Contingency	\$ 1,190.00
Total Expenditure		<u>\$29,910.00</u>