

Minister of Indian Affairs
and Northern Development



Ministre des Affaires
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Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H4

I, the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, HEREBY APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the following by-law made by the Cowichan Indian Band, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 29th day of July 2003.

Cowichan Indian Band
A By-law to Fix Tax Rate for the Year 2003

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert McNeil".

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario this 30th day of September 2003.

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**COWICHAN INDIAN BAND
A Bylaw to Fix Tax Rate for the Year 2003**

HEREAS:

- A. The Cowichan Indian Band "Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw" was enacted pursuant to Subsection 83(1) of the Indian Act for the purpose of taxation for local purposes of land, or interests in land, in the "reserve" (as defined in the Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw) including rights to occupy, possess or use land in the "reserve".

NOW BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT the following bylaw be and is hereby enacted pursuant to the provisions of the Indian Act and in particular Subsection 83(1) thereof, for the purpose of fixing a tax rate for the year 2003.

Short Title

1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the "Cowichan Indian Band Bylaw to Fix Tax Rate for the Year 2003".

Tax Rates

2. The following rates are hereby imposed and levied for the Calendar Year 2003 on the assessed value of land and improvements by property class.

Property Class	Tax Rate Percentage
(a) Utilities (2)	4.00% per thousand
Light Industry (5)	2.42% per thousand
Business and Others (6)	2.42% per thousand
Farm (9)	1.00% per thousand

Place of Tax Payments

3. The taxes as levied shall be payable at the office of the Tax Collector at the Cowichan Band Office, 5760 Allenby Road, Duncan, BC. Mailing address: Cowichan Tribes, 5760 Allenby Road, Duncan, BC V9L 5J1.

APPROVED AND PASSED at a duly convened meeting of the Band Council of the Cowichan Indian Band held at the Cowichan Indian Band Administration Office, 5760 Allenby Road, this 29th day of July, 2003.

A Quorum of Council consists of five (5) Band Councillors.

Moved By: Philomena Alphons Seconded By: Lloyd Bob

Acting Jester Joe
Chief

Heal Khasse
Councillor

David Charlie
Councillor

Cindy Page
Councillor

Robert Sylvester
Councillor

Ally Lane
Councillor

Councillor

Ellie John
Councillor

Joseph Bob Sr.
Councillor

Joseph Daniels
Councillor

Richard Khasse
Councillor

Councillor

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