

Ministre des Affaires indiennes et  
du Nord canadien et interlocuteur fédéral  
auprès des Métis et des Indiens non inscrits



Minister of Indian Affairs and  
Northern Development and Federal Interlocutor  
for Métis and Non-Status Indians

Ottawa, Canada K1A 0H4

I, the Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development, HEREBY  
APPROVE, pursuant to section 83 of the *Indian Act*, the following by-law  
made by the Bigstone Cree First Nation, in the Province of Alberta, at a  
meeting held on the 20th day of April 2011.

- **Bigstone Cree First Nation  
Tax Rates By-law 2011**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "A. Mahood".

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 2011.

BIGSTONE CREE FIRST NATION  
TAX RATES BY-LAW 2011

**WHEREAS** pursuant to subsection 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 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 or ancillary to such purpose; and

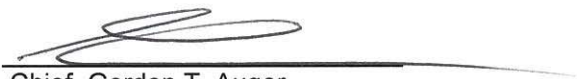
**WHEREAS** the Council of the Bigstone Cree First Nation enacted the *Bigstone Cree First Nation Property Assessment and Taxation By-law* on April 15, 2004;

**THEREFORE BE IT 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 *Bigstone Cree First Nation Tax Rates By-law 2011*.
2. Pursuant to Section 12.1 of the *Bigstone Cree Property Assessment and Taxation By-law*, the rate of tax applied against the assessed value of property shall be,

(a) for non-residential	2.45%
(b) for machinery and equipment	2.10%
3. This By-law comes into force and effect upon being approved by the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

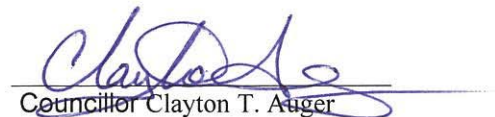
This by-law is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on April 20, 2011.


  
Chief Gordon T. Auger

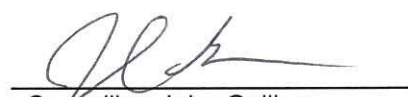
  
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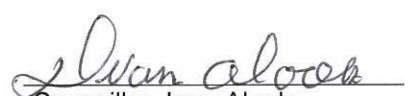
  
Councillor Clayton T. Auger

  
Councillor Ida Alook

  
Councillor John Gullion

  
Councillor Clifford Cardinal

  
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Councillor Ivan Alook

  
Councillor Eva Yellowknee