

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

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 Bigstone Cree First Nation, in the Province of Alberta, at a meeting held on the 22nd day of April 2009.

Bigstone Cree First Nation Tax Rates By-law 2009

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 27 lday of October

2009.



BIGSTONE CREE FIRST NATION TAX RATES BY-LAW 2009

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 2009*.
- 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

2.40%

(b) for machinery and equipment

2.00%

This by-law is hereby enacted by Council at a duly convened meeting held on

Chief Gordon T. Auger

Councillor Clara Moberly

Councillor Ida Alook

Councillor Clayton T. Auger

Councillor Silas Yellowknee

Councillor Art Bigstone

Councillor Mike Beaver