Ministre des Relations Couronne-Autochtones



Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations

Otlawa, 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 Binche Whut'en, in the Province of British Columbia, at a meeting held on the 17th day of December 2020.

Binche Whut'en Annual Expenditure By-law, 2020

Dated at Ottawa, Ontario, this 11th day of January

2020.

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

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BINCHE WHUT'EN ANNUAL EXPENDITURE BY-LAW, 2020

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 Binche Whut'en has enacted the *Binche Whut'en Property Taxation By-law*, 2020, respecting taxation for local purposes on reserve; and
- C. The Council of the Binche Whut'en 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 Binche Whut'en duly enacts as follows:

- 1. This By-law may be cited as the Binche Whut'en Annual Expenditure By-law, 2020.
- 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 Binche Whut'en, 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 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 *Binche Whut'en Property Taxation By-law*, 2020.
- **3.** The annual budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2020 and ending December 31, 2020, 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 Indigenous Services.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the 17th day of December, 2020, at Binche Reserve Number 2, in the Province of British Columbia.

A quorum of Council consists of 3 members of Council.

Councillor Stanley Tom

Councillor Jarrod Tom

Councillor Theresa Morris

Councillor Dwayne Martin

SCHEDULE

ANNUAL BUDGET

PA	RT	1: REVENUES		
1.	Lo	cal revenues to be collected in bu	udget year:	
	a.	Property Tax Revenues		\$ 32,294.00
TO	\$ 32,294.00			
		2: EXPENDITURES		
1.		neral Government Expenditures		
		Executive and Legislative		\$
	b.	General Administrative		\$
	c.			\$ 29,065.00
2.	Pro	otection Services		
		Policing		
	b.	Firefighting		
	c.	Regulatory Measures		
	d.	Other Protective Services		
3.	Tra	ansportation		
	a.	Roads and Streets		
	b.	Snow and Ice Removal		
	C.	Parking		
	d.	Public Transit		
	e.	Other Transportation		
4.	Re	creation and Cultural Services		
	a.	Recreation		
	b.	Culture		
	c.	Heritage Protection	Δ.	
	d.	Other Recreation and Culture		
5.	Co	mmunity 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.	En	vironment 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.	Fis	Fiscal Services				
	a.	Debt Payments				
	d.	Accelerated Debt Payments				
	e.	Other Fiscal Services				
8.	Otl	ner Services				
	a.	Health				
	b.	Social Programs and Assistance				
	c.	Agriculture				
	d.	Education				
	e.	Other Service				
9.	Co	ntingency Amounts	\$	3,229.00		
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TO	TAI	EXPENDITURES	\$	32,924.00		
PA	RT	3: ACCUMULATED SURPLUS/DEFICIT				
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		umulated Surplus – Local revenues carried forward from				
		vious budget year umulated Deficit – Local revenue expenditures carried forward	\$			
tro	m th	e previous budget year		\$		
BALANCE						
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