

FISHING LAKE METIS SETTLEMENT

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WHEREAS:

- A. Pursuant to the *Metis Settlements General Council Property Assessment Policy 2018 GC-P1807* (the “Assessment Policy”) and the *Metis Settlements General Council Property Taxation Policy 2018 GC-P1806* (the “Taxation Policy”), a settlement council may pass a property tax bylaw that sets and applies the rates of tax to assessed property within settlement areas for the purposes of raising revenue for the cost of settlement expenditures and community services;
- B. The Fishing Lake Metis Settlement Council has passed its operating and capital budget for this year as required by section 8(a) of the Taxation Policy;
- C. The net tax revenue requirements of the Fishing Lake Metis Settlement for 2019 is estimated to be **\$2,800,000**;
- D. The total 2018 assessed value of taxable property from which taxes may be raised is **\$31,536,200**;

NOW THEREFORE the Fishing Lake Metis Settlement Council duly enacts as follows:

1. This Bylaw may be cited as the *Fishing Lake Metis Settlement 2019 Property Tax Bylaw*.
2. The tax administrator appointed to administer taxes in accordance with the Taxation Policy and this Bylaw for the current taxation year is Michelle Arrigoni.
3. The assessor appointed to undertake assessment of property in accordance with the Assessment Policy is Accurate Assessment Group Ltd.
4. Based on the net tax revenue requirements for the taxation year 2019 taxes levied shall be determined by applying the following rates to the assessed value of each taxable property:
 - a. 88.78% for Class 2 - Non-Residential property; and
 - b. 88.78% for Class 4 - Machinery and Equipment.



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5. The settlement's principal banker for the purposes of calculating interest owed on tax refunds pursuant to section 6(3) of the Taxation Policy is ATB Financial.
6. Except where otherwise defined, words and expressions used in this Bylaw have the meanings given to them in the Assessment Policy and the Taxation Policy.
7. This Bylaw comes into force and effect on the day it is given third reading by the Fishing Lake Metis Settlement Council.

THIS BYLAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Fishing Lake Metis Settlement Council on this 29th day of May, 2019, at the **Fishing Lake Metis Settlement**, in the Province of Alberta.

READ a first time this 15th Day of May, 2019 at a Special Council Meeting at which 4 Council members were present and voted as follows:

4 for; 0 against; 0 abstained

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4 for; 0 against; 0 abstained;

APPROVED to post for membership this 15th day of May, 2019 at a Special Council meeting at which 4 Council members were present and voted as follows:

4 for : 0 against: 0 Abstained

APPROVED pursuant to section 55 of the Metis Settlements Act, at a Settlement Special General Meeting this 29th day of May at which 22 members were present and voted as follows:

13 for 7 against; 2 abstained



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READ a third time and adopted this 29th day of May, 2019 at a Special Council Meeting at which

3 Council members were present and votes as follows;

3 For; 0 against; 0 abstained.


Effective Date: May. 29. 2019



Chairman



Councillor



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Administrator

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