

SPUZZUM FIRST NATION

ANNUAL RATES BY-LAW 2020

WHEREAS pursuant to the *Indian Act*, R.S.C. 1985, and specifically paragraph 83(1)(a) of the *Indian Act*, 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 matters arising out of or ancillary to such purpose;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Spuzzum First Nation (also known as the Spuzzum Indian Band) enacted the *Spuzzum Indian Band Property Taxation By-law* and *Spuzzum Indian Band Assessment By-law* on March 9, 1992 ;

NOW BE IT HEREBY 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 *Spuzzum First Nation Rates By-law 2020*.
2. Pursuant to Section 24 of the *Spuzzum Indian Band Property Taxation By-law*, the tax rates for each class of property shall be in accordance with Schedule "A" which is attached, and forms part of the 2020 Rates By-law.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the 11th day of June 2020 at Spuzzum in the Province of British Columbia.

A quorum of Council consists of (2) members of Council.

Chief James Hobart

Councilor Diana Stromquist

Councilor Chad Edwards

SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Spuzzum First Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2020 taxation year for the following classes of property.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Class of Property as prescribed under Section 24 of the <i>Spuzzum Indian Band Property Taxation By-law</i> .	Rate of Tax applied against each \$1,000.00 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part 3 of the <i>Spuzzum Indian Band Property Taxation By-law</i> .
Class 1 - Residential	
Class 2 - Utilities	57.097870
Class 3 - Unmanaged Forest Land	
Class 4 - Major Industry	
Class 5 - Light Industry	
Class 6 - Business and Other	13.499120
Class 7 - Managed Forest Land	
Class 8 - Recreation/Non-Profit Organization	
Class 9 - Farm	