

**DENE THA' FIRST NATION**

**RATES BY-LAW 2023**

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 Dene Tha' First Nation (also known as the Dene Tha' Band) enacted the *Dene Tha' Property Assessment and Taxation By-law*, on December 14, 1999 and approved by the Minister on February 28, 2000;

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 *Dene Tha' First Nation Rates By-law 2023*.
2. Pursuant to Section 17 of the *Dene Tha' Property Assessment and 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 2023 Rates By-law.

THIS BY-LAW IS HEREBY DULY ENACTED by Council on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023, at \_\_\_\_\_, in the Province of \_\_\_\_\_ .

A quorum of Council consists of (\_\_\_\_\_) members of Council.

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Chief Wilfred Hooka-Nooza

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Councillor Bernard Beaulieu

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Councillor Avalon Seniantha

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Councillor Holly Seniantha

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Councillor Gertrude Natannah-Beaulieu

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Councillor Debbie Ahkimnachie

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Councillor Kendall Metchooyeah

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Councillor Kathleen Barry

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Councillor Adrienne Beaulieu

SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Dene Tha' First Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2023 taxation year for the following classes of property.

<b>COLUMN 1</b> Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 17 of the <i>Dene Tha' Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw</i> .	<b>COLUMN 2</b> Rate of Tax applied against each \$1,000.00 of the assessed value of the land and improvements as determined in accordance with Part V of the <i>Dene Tha' Property Assessment and Taxation Bylaw</i> .
Class 1 – Residential	
Class 2 – Non-residential and linear property	19.1050
Class 3 – Farm land	
Class 4 – Machinery and Equipment	14.5202