

**STURGEON LAKE CREE 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 Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation (also known as the Sturgeon Lake Band) enacted the *Sturgeon Lake Band Taxation and Business Licensing By-law* on July 23, 1986 and approved by the Minister on February 17, 1987;

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 *Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation Rates By-law 2023*.
2. Pursuant to Section 21 of the *Sturgeon Lake Band Taxation and Business Licensing 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023,  
at Sturgeon Lake, in the Province of Alberta .

A quorum of Council consists of Four ( 4 ) members of Council.

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Chief Sheldon Sunshine

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Councillor Grant Goodswimmer

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Councillor Karl Moses

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Councillor Hugh Garbitt

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Councillor Rosalyn Goodswimmer

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Councillor

## SCHEDULE "A"

The Council of the Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation hereby adopts the following taxation rates for the 2023 taxation year for the following classes of property.

<b>COLUMN 1</b>	<b>COLUMN 2</b>
Class of Property as prescribed under Schedule II and Section 21 of the <i>Sturgeon Lake Band Taxation and Business Licensing 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 IV of the <i>Sturgeon Lake Band Taxation and Business Licensing By-law</i> .
Class 1 – Residential	
Class 2 – Non-residential and linear property	20.0876
Class 3 – Farm land	
Class 4 – Machinery and Equipment	15.7140