

**BYLAW 16-014  
OF  
LAC LA BICHE COUNTY**

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A BYLAW TO AUTHORIZE THE RATES OF TAXATION TO BE LEVIED AGAINST ASSESSABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE RURAL SERVICE AREA OF LAC LA BICHE COUNTY FOR THE 2016 TAXATION YEAR

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**WHEREAS**, the Council of Lac La Biche County has prepared and adopted detailed estimates of the municipal revenues and expenditures as required, at the council meeting held on March 22, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, the estimated municipal expenditures and transfers set out in the budget for Lac La Biche County for 2016 total \$113,224,993; and

**WHEREAS**, the estimated municipal revenues and transfers from all sources other than taxation for the rural service area of Lac La Biche County is estimated at \$41,247,570 and the balance of \$71,977,423 is to be raised by general municipal taxation; and

**WHEREAS**, the requisitions are:

Alberta School Foundation Fund	
Residential	\$3,031,158
Non-residential	6,664,179
Total Alberta School Foundation	9,695,337
Greater North Seniors' Foundation	973,144

**WHEREAS** the Council of Lac La Biche County is required each year to levy on the assessed value of all property, tax rates sufficient to meet the estimated expenditures and the requisitions; and

**WHEREAS** the Council is authorized to classify assessed property, and to establish different rates of taxation in respect to each class of property, subject to the *Municipal Government Act*, Chapter M-26, Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000; and

**WHEREAS** the assessed value of all property in the rural service area of Lac La Biche County as shown on the assessment roll is:

	<u>Assessment</u>
Farm Land	\$21,468,780
Residential	736,552,620
Non-residential	321,618,040
Electric Power Generation	175,170
Machinery	1,699,342,930
Linear	1,293,567,430
	<u>\$4,072,724,970</u>

**NOW THEREFORE** under the authority of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Council of Lac La Biche County, in the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1. That the short title of this Bylaw is, "The 2016 Tax Rate Bylaw - Rural Service Area".
2. That the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) is hereby authorized to levy the following rates of taxation on the assessed value of all property in the rural services area as shown on the assessment roll of Lac La Biche County:

<u>General Municipal</u>	<u>Tax Levy</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Tax Rate</u> <small>(per \$1000 of assessment)</small>
Farmland	54,228	21,468,780	2.5259
Residential	1,860,459	736,552,620	2.5259
Non-residential	5,968,750	321,618,040	18.5585
Electric power generation	3,251	175,170	18.5585
Machinery & Equipment	31,537,256	1,699,342,930	18.5585
Linear	24,006,671	1,293,567,430	18.5585
Total	<u>\$63,430,615</u>	<u>\$4,072,724,970</u>	

<u>Alberta School Foundation Fund</u>			
Farmland	52,691	21,468,780	2.4543
Residential	1,805,933	735,823,900	2.4543
Residential - Provincial		728,720	
Non-residential	1,166,253	321,370,250	3.6290
Non-residential - Provincial		247,790	
Electric power generation	-	175,170	-
Machinery & Equipment	-	1,699,342,930	-
Linear	4,694,356	1,293,567,430	3.6290
Total	<u>\$7,719,233</u>	<u>\$4,072,724,970</u>	

<u>Greater North Seniors Foundation</u>			
Farmland	4,362	21,468,780	0.2032
Residential	149,667	736,552,620	0.2032
Non-residential	65,352	321,618,040	0.2032
Electric power generation	36	175,170	0.2032
Machinery & Equipment	345,306	1,699,342,930	0.2032
Linear	262,853	1,293,567,430	0.2032
Total	<u>\$827,576</u>	<u>\$4,072,724,970</u>	

3. The minimum amount payable as property tax for general municipal purposes shall be \$25.00.
4. This bylaw shall come into effect upon passing of this third reading.

**MOTION BY COUNCILLOR NOWAK THAT BYLAW 16-014 BE GIVEN FIRST READING THIS 2ND DAY OF MAY, 2016.**

**MOTION BY COUNCILLOR OLSON THAT BYLAW 16-014 BE GIVEN SECOND READING THIS 2ND DAY OF MAY, 2016.**

“Original Signed” \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

“Original Signed” \_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Administrative Officer

**MOTION BY COUNCILLOR RICHARD THAT BYLAW 16-014 BE GIVEN THIRD AND FINAL READING THIS 10TH DAY OF MAY, 2016.**

“Original Signed” \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

“Original Signed” \_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Administrative Officer