

THE CITY OF SPRUCE GROVE

BYLAW C-1033-18

2018 BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA TAX RATE BYLAW

WHEREAS, Pursuant to section 377 of the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c.M-26 as amended and section 21 of the *Business Improvement Area Regulation*, Alta. Reg. 93/2016, as amended, City Council may pass bylaws dealing with business improvement area tax and assessment;

AND WHEREAS, by Bylaw C-966-16, the Municipal Council of the City of Spruce Grove has established a City Centre Business Improvement Area;

AND WHEREAS, Bylaw C-1032-18 authorizes the taxation of businesses for the purpose of imposing a Business Improvement Area Tax Levy;

AND WHEREAS, the 2018 approved budget for the City Centre Business Improvement Area includes \$32,000 revenue to be raised through Business Improvement Area levy;

NOW THEREFORE, The Municipal Council of the City of Spruce Grove duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

1. BYLAW TITLE

1.1 This bylaw is called “2018 Business Improvement Area Tax Rate Bylaw”.

2. DEFINITIONS

2.1 “Act” means the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A., 2000, c.M-26 and amendments thereto.

2.2 “BIA” means Business Improvement Area.

2.3 “Business” means business as defined in the Act.

2.4 “Council” means the Mayor and Councillors duly elected pursuant to the provisions of the *Local Authorities Election Act*, R.S.A., 2000, c.L-21.

3. APPLICATION

- 3.1 The BIA levy shall be set at a uniform rate throughout and be calculated by dividing the approved BIA requisition by the total number of taxable Businesses, as recorded on the BIA Assessment Roll.

4. EFFECTIVE DATE

- 4.1 This bylaw shall come into force and effect when it receives third reading and is duly signed.

First Reading Carried 12 March 2018

Second Reading Carried 12 March 2018

Third Reading Carried 23 April 2018

Date Signed 27 April 2018

Mayor

City Clerk