



EYYOU ISTCHEE JAMES BAY REGIONAL GOVERNMENT EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES

Thirty eighth regular Council meeting of the Eeyou Istchee James Bay Regional Government, held by Zoom in the conference room of Eeyou Istchee James Bay Regional Government's head office, 2 des Rapides Street in Matagami on May 28, 2020. The meeting was chaired by the Chairperson, Grand Chief Dr. Abel Bosum and the following people were present: Vice-Chairperson Manon Cyr and Councillors Christina Gilpin, Mélanie Hébert, Julie Rivard, Louisa Wynne, Daniel Bellerose, Davey Bobbish, Franko Bolduc, Curtis Bosum, Kenneth Cheezo, René Dubé, André Elliott, Steve Gamache, Marcel Happyjack, Clarence Jolly, Thomas Neeposh, Alain Poirier (Chibougamau), Alain Poirier (Lebel-sur-Quévillon), Clarke Shecapio and Nelson Tremblay

Cancellation of the interest rates for all taxes, compensations and fees due to the Regional Government from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020

WHEREAS By-law No. 207 regarding the imposition of property taxes in 2020 states that interest rates are established at 9% on amounts due starting at the expiry of the delay when the amounts should be paid to the Regional Government;

WHEREAS the interest is calculated on a daily basis after the deadline;

WHEREAS Section 481 of the Cities and Towns Act allows the Regional Government to establish a different interest rate by resolution;

WHEREAS due to the exceptional circumstances related to the COVID-19, the Regional Government wishes to reduce the tax burden of its taxpayers.

ON A MOTION BY MR. ALAIN POIRIER (CHIBOUGAMAU), DULY SECONDED BY MR. STEVE GAMACHE, IT IS RESOLVED:

RESOLUTION No. RG2020-05-1266

TO APPROVE the cancellation of the interest rates for all taxes, compensations and fees due to the Regional Government from April 1 to December 31, 2020;

TO AUTHORISE the Director General, Mrs. Johanne Lacasse, to do a follow-up.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

"I, the undersigned, Aline Bougie, Assistant Clerk of the Eeyou Istchee James Bay Regional Government, hereby certify that the above excerpt is exact."

Aline Bougie, Assistant Clerk