By-law 2020-175

A By-Law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Set an Interim Tax Levy and Tax Billing Dates Prior to the Development of the 2021 Tax Policy

Whereas Section 317(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, authorizes a local municipality in any year before the adoption of the estimates for that year to levy a separate tax rate on the assessment in each property class in the municipality rateable for municipal purposes;

And Whereas the tax rates to be levied are subject to those provisions contained in Section 317 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*;

And Whereas the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, with respect to the levy on the yearly rates and the collection of taxes, apply to the levy of rates and the collection of taxes thereunder;

And Whereas Council of the City of Greater Sudbury deems it expedient to make the interim levy in the year 2021 for property classes within the City;

And Whereas Paragraph 342(1)(b)of the *Municipal Act, 2001* allows a municipality to pass a by-law providing for alternative instalments and due dates in the year for which the taxes are imposed under than those established under the authority of Paragraph 342(1)(a) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* to allow taxpayers to spread the payment of taxes more evenly over the year;

And Whereas Council of the City of Greater Sudbury wishes to provide alternative instalments and due dates for persons participating in the City's pre-authorized payment plan;

And Whereas s. 355 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* allows a municipality to pass a By-law providing for the payment of a minimum amount of taxes;

And Whereas Council of the City of Greater Sudbury has determined that it is appropriate to set a minimum tax amount;

Now therefore Council of the City of Greater Sudbury hereby enacts as follows: