



## BYLAW NUMBER 189

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A bylaw of the Municipal Corporation of the Hamlet of Fort Liard in the Northwest Territories to provide for the payment of an indemnity and allowance for expenses to members of the Hamlet Council, and to pay remuneration to members of the Fort Liard Housing Board pursuant to the provisions of the Hamlets Act, R.S.N.W.T., 2003, c. 22, s. 61 and 31.

WHEREAS it is desirable to set rates of indemnities and allowances for expenses for members of Hamlet Council and rates of remuneration for members of the Fort Liard Housing Board,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE HAMLET OF FORT LIARD, in a duly assembled meeting, enacts as follows:

### SHORT TITLE

1. This by-law may be cited as the “**Council Indemnity and Board Remuneration Bylaw**”.

### INTERPRETATION

2. In this by-law

“Board” means the Fort Liard Housing Board:

“Board Member” means a member of the Fort Liard Housing Board:

“Chairperson” means the chairperson of the Fort Liard Housing Board;

“Council” means the council of the Hamlet;

“Councilor” means a member of the Council other than the Mayor or Deputy Mayor;

“Deputy Mayor” means the Deputy Mayor of the Hamlet;

“Hamlet” means the Hamlet of Fort Liard;

“Mayor” means the Mayor of the Hamlet;

“Meeting” means a regular, special or emergency meeting of the Council;

“Month” means a calendar month;

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- “SAO” means the Senior Administrative Officer of the Hamlet;
- “Schedule” means a schedule attached to and forming part of this by-law; and,
- “Vice-Chair Person” means the vice-chairperson of the Fort Liard Housing Board; and
- “Year” means a fiscal year.

**COUNCIL INDEMNITIES AND ALLOWANCES**

3. Indemnities and allowances for expenses shall be paid to members of the council in accordance with Schedule “A”, attached to and forming part of, this bylaw.

**BOARD REMUNERATION**

4. Remuneration shall be paid to members of the board members in accordance with Schedule “B”, attached to and forming part of, this bylaw.

**EFFECTIVE DATE**

5. This bylaw is effective April 01, 2007.

**REPEAL**

6. By-law Number 137 is hereby repealed.

**SCHEDULE "A"  
COUNCIL  
INDEMNITIES AND ALLOWANCES**

1. That, subject to subsection (2), each member of council receive an honorarium for attending council meetings as follows:
  - (a) Mayor \$ 200.00 per regular council meeting attended;
  - (b) Deputy Mayor \$ 150.00 per regular council meeting attended; and,
  - (c) Each Councilor \$ 125.00 per regular council meeting attended.
2. Under no circumstances shall members of council receive payment for more than three meetings per month.
3. That each member of council receives an annual expense allowance as follows:
  - (a) Mayor \$ 1,500.00 per annum;
  - (b) Deputy Mayor \$ 750.00 per annum; and,
  - (c) Each Councilor \$ 650.00 per annum.
4. The expense allowance will not be paid for any month in which a councilor misses a meeting without notice.
5. Where a member of Council is required to conduct business outside the municipality on behalf of the Hamlet; travel, accommodation, and meal expenses will be paid to that member if the travel is authorized by motion of Council. Rates will be in accordance with the "Duty Travel Rates" bylaw.
6. Where a member of Council is required to conduct business outside the municipality on behalf of the Hamlet, an additional indemnity; not to exceed \$200.00 per day, may be paid to that member if so authorized by motion of Council. This indemnity will not be paid if the member is paid from another source other than the hamlet.
7. Where a member of council is required to perform duties of another member of council having a higher honorarium and/or expense allowance than the position held by the member; that member will receive the higher rate for the temporary period when authorized by a motion of council.

**SCHEDULE "B"  
FORT LIARD HOUSING BOARD  
REMUNERATION**

1. Board members will be remunerated at the following rates:
  - (a) Chairperson \$ 150.00 per regular board meeting attended;
  - (b) Vice Chairperson \$ 120.00 per regular board meeting attended; and,
  - (c) Member \$ 90.00 per regular board meeting attended.
  
3. Where a member of the board is required to conduct business outside the municipality on behalf of the board; travel, accommodation, and meal expenses will be paid to that member if the travel is authorized by motion of Council. Rates will be in accordance with the "Duty Travel Rates" bylaw.
  
4. Where a member of the board is required to conduct business outside the municipality on behalf of the Hamlet, an additional indemnity; not to exceed \$200.00 per day, may be paid to that member if so authorized by motion of Council. This indemnity will not be paid if the member is paid from another source other than the hamlet.
  
5. Where a member of the board is required to perform duties of another member of the board having a higher remuneration than the position held by the member; that member will receive the higher rate for the temporary period when authorized by a motion of council.