

# Media Advisory

## AMM to tour Interlake District

*Annual municipal visits give elected officials chance to voice concerns*

**January 17, 2012** – The Association of Manitoba Municipalities (AMM) will begin its annual round of municipal visits this week by touring the Interlake region of the province and meeting with councils from several municipalities. The AMM makes it a priority to visit each of its 197 member municipalities at least once during each four-year election cycle.

“Municipal visits are important to the AMM because they give us a chance to communicate one-on-one with our members,” says AMM President Doug Dobrowolski. “Given the flooding and associated challenges some of our members faced last year, it is also a good opportunity to discuss flood-fighting initiatives and future investments in local infrastructure.”

AMM representatives attending the meetings are Urban Vice-President Eileen Clarke, Rural Vice-President Roger Wilson, Executive Director Joe Masi, Interlake Urban Director Randy Sigurdson and Interlake Rural Director Trevor King.

The AMM will visit the following municipalities this week:

Wednesday, January 18	Thursday, January 19
2:00 pm – RM of Eriksdale 4:00 pm – RM of Coldwell	10:00 am – RM of Armstrong

The AMM represents all municipalities in Manitoba.