



## News Bulletin

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February 2, 2017

Dear Subscriber,

We hope you enjoy this edition of the AMM News Bulletin. A [PDF version](#) of the bulletin is available on our website.

### Latest News

#### Red Tape Reduction Survey - due February 10!

The Province of Manitoba's **Red Tape Reduction Task Force** will identify excess regulation and unnecessary red tape in order to improve the delivery and availability of public services. The AMM is participating in the consultation process by asking our members to complete a survey by **Friday, February 10, 2017**. All provided information will be reviewed and shared with the Red Tape Reduction Task Force.

If you did not receive a copy of this survey, or have any questions, [let us know](#).

#### The Municipal By-law Enforcement Act: template by-laws

The Municipal By-law Enforcement Act (MBEA) is now in force. Template by-laws are now available on the Publications Directory on the [AMM website](#) in both Word and PDF formats.

The by-law should be adjusted as necessary to take into account your municipality's circumstances. [More](#)

#### Proposed Accessibility Standard for Employment

Reminder - comments on the proposed accessibility standard for employment in accordance with The Accessibility for Manitobans Act are due by **February 15, 2017**. The AMM's submission is [here](#).

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Mark your calendars for these  
**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**2017 Mayors, Reeves and CAOs Meetings**

*April 11, 2017*

RBC Convention Centre, Winnipeg

Discussion document is available [here](#). Please submit comments to:

**Disabilities Issues Office**

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**Just released:**

**Heart & Stroke 2017 Report on the Health of Canadians**

This year's report reveals the harmful effects of marketing unhealthy food and beverages to Canadian kids.

Today's kids are bombarded with food and beverage marketing morning, noon and night, every day of the week. This is having a devastating effect on their health.

We now have kids who have spent their whole lives eating unhealthy diets high in processed foods. Unhealthy eating is a leading risk for death in Canada, starting in childhood and building through life.

**In short, the food and beverage industry is marketing our children and youth to death.**

Please help raise awareness and educate Canadians about the dangers of marketing unhealthy food and beverages to kids by taking the following steps:

1. READ the 2017 Report entitled [The kids are not alright](#).
2. SHARE with your social media networks on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).
3. ACT - please see page 14 of the report for specific actions **municipal governments** can take.

## Notices

### AMM Community Leadership Award deadline extended



The AMM, in conjunction with Volunteer Manitoba and Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries invite submissions for the the [AMM Community Leadership Award!](#)

To submit a nomination, visit: [volunteermanitoba.ca/awards](http://volunteermanitoba.ca/awards).

**\*Deadline for nominations has been extended to Feb. 10, 2017\***

**Register now!**

[Central, Eastern and Interlake meeting](#)

[Midwestern, Northern, Parkland and Western meeting](#)

## 2017 Municipal Officials Seminar & MTCML Tradeshow

April 12-13, 2017

RBC Convention Centre, Winnipeg

Visit our [website](#) for more info

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## Shifting to Drive

Thursday March 9, 2017  
@ 8AM  
The Metropolitan Entertainment Centre  
281 Donald Street  
Winnipeg Manitoba

[more info](#)

### [Classified Ads](#)

Buy and sell your municipal equipment!

Post your ad [here](#).

### [Job Postings](#)

Post your municipal job [here](#).

The award will be presented during the 34th Annual Volunteer Awards to be held on **Tuesday, April 25th, 2017**, at the RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg.

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