



News Bulletin

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July 18, 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

Recycling of newsprint

The Manitoba Community Newspapers Association (MCNA) recently sent the AMM a letter regarding the dispute between the Province of Manitoba, Multi Material Stewardship Manitoba (MMSM) and newspapers regarding recycling of newsprint.

[Read letter from MCNA](#)

The AMM has been in touch with all the parties involved in the dispute and is monitoring the issue closely.

Notices

National Trade Corridors Fund (NTCF)

On July 4, Transport Minister Marc Garneau announced the details for the federal government's [National Trade Corridors Fund \(NTCF\)](#) and launched the application period for funding requests. The fund will provide \$2 billion over 11 years to projects that reduce bottlenecks at major transportation hubs and modernize Canada's transportation network, including municipal priorities such as roads, bridges and grade separations.

Provincial, territorial and municipal governments, Indigenous groups, not-for-profit and for-profit private-sector organizations,

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**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

Accessibility Standard on Customer Service Training

The Society for Manitobans with Disabilities (SMD) has a new training video series focused on the Accessible Customer Service Standard. Come with a lunch, check out a preview of the video series, and discuss how we

federal Crown Corporations, Canadian Port Authorities, and National Airport System Airport Authorities are encouraged to submit an [expression of interest](#) under this first call for expressions of interest by September 5, 2017.

[Backgrounder](#)

2017 Manitoba Council on Aging Recognition Awards

It is time to start nominating Manitobans making outstanding contributions in your community for the Manitoba Council on Aging Recognition Awards! The nomination deadline is **Tuesday, September 12, 2017**. Nomination forms are available at www.gov.mb.ca/seniors/mca.html or may be requested through the Seniors Information Line at 204-945-6565 / 1-800-665-6565 or seniors@gov.mb.ca.

Apply for FCM's 2018 Sustainable Communities Awards



Nominate your municipality for [FCM's 2018 Sustainable Communities Awards](#)! The awards celebrate the most innovative local sustainability projects from across the country in the following categories:

- * *Asset management - New*
- * *Brownfields*
- * *Climate change - New*
- * *Energy*
- * *Sustainable neighbourhood revitalization and design*
- * *Transportation*
- * *Waste*
- * *Water*

Communities do not need to be members of FCM or have received funding from FCM in order to be eligible. Eligible initiatives must be started or completed between January 1, 2016 and September 15, 2017.

Award winners receive local and national recognition and promotion for their initiatives, and the honour of presenting at FCM's Sustainable Communities Conference. [Learn more and apply](#) by **September 15, 2017**.

Apply for new climate change capital project grants

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) now offers grants of up to \$1 million for climate change capital projects. This new funding will help municipalities like yours reduce greenhouse gas emissions and adapt to climate change impacts, such as flooding, extreme temperatures and drought. Click [here](#) for more information.

Projects that are already underway may be eligible. All applications must be submitted by **January 2020**.

Find information about the types of climate change capital projects that are eligible for funding and access application forms

can help you with your training requirements.

Tuesday July 25, 2017
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Brandon Provincial
Building 340 9th St.
Room B6 (basement)

Registration Required
***Please register by**
Wednesday July 19, 2017

email: hiscock@smd.mb.ca
phone: 204-975-3100 or 1-866-282-8041

Please let us know if you require any disability accommodations at the time of registration.

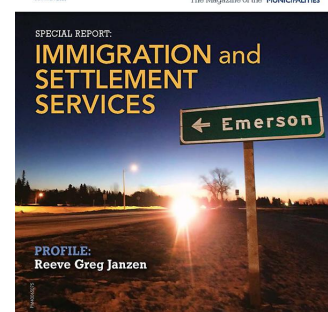
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[Job Postings](#)

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The Summer, 2017 issue of the Municipal Leader is now online!

[Read it here.](#)

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online. Contact an FCM advisor at 1-877-997-9926 or by [email](#) to discuss your project and find out if it qualifies.

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Check out Grand and Toy's ["July Essentials for Every Workplace"](#) flyer.



Prices in effect until July 31, 2017.

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