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## **Latest News**

## Message from Minister of Agriculture



Statistics Canada releases first results of Canada's Core Public Infrastructure Survey



Ottawa, August 24, 2018

Today, Statistics Canada published the first results of <u>Canada's Core</u> <u>Public Infrastructure Survey</u> in The Daily. Sponsored by Infrastructure Canada and conducted with Statistics Canada's worldclass expertise in data management, the survey will provide trusted and reliable data to support governments and policy makers in monitoring the condition of Canada's core public infrastructure, improving their management and lifespan, and developing future infrastructure projects.

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November 26-28 RBC Convention Centre Winnipeg

Join us for "Two Decades, One Voice"

#### **Online registration**

Opens October 4 and ends November 16! Regular fee \$275 plus GST per person Building on the first release, statistical information on national infrastructure assets will be released throughout the fall of 2018 and will provide baselines for comparing assets over time. The data will examine the inventory, condition, performance and asset management strategy of nine core public infrastructure assets: roads; bridges and tunnels; potable water; waste water; storm water; public transit; solid waste; culture, recreation and sports facilities; and public social and affordable housing. Statistics Canada is working with Infrastructure Canada to explore the possibility of producing this survey on a recurring basis to develop a broader overview of Canada's public infrastructures over time.

## **Proposed Realignment of Conservation Districts-UPDATE**

The Province of Manitoba is proceeding with plans to realign the boundaries of conservations districts to watershed boundaries. Fourteen meetings have been scheduled with municipalities and districts to continue to plan for the transition. Four of these meetings have been held, while the remaining 10 meetings are scheduled for September and early October. To attend these meetings, please RSVP to watershedconsult@gov.mb.ca. If you are unable to attend, comments/feedback can still be submitted using the email address.

<u>Watershed District Transition Planning Meetings</u> <u>Proposed future map of Watershed Districts</u>

Launch of the Introduction to Cannabis Legislation online training module for Canadian police officers

The online course, entitled Introduction to Cannabis Legislation, is now available at no cost to all Canadian police services in Canada on the <u>CPKN portal</u>.

The 67th annual NCFPW will be held September 24 - 27, 2018 at the Fort Garry Hotel in Winnipeg, Manitoba

See attached <u>agenda</u> for details. Highlights of this conference include:

- Mountain Pine Beetle TRIA-Net
- Climate Change and Forest Health
- Elm Resistance to Dutch Elm Disease
- Update in Oak Wilt Management
- Drones in Forestry
- Field tour of the City of Winnipeg urban forestry program including Dutch elm disease and emerald ash borer management.

## **Register**

#### Accommodations:

A block of rooms is being held at the Fort Garry Hotel under the group name, North Central Forest Pest Workshop. The block will be

Pre-Conference Seminar for Newly Elected Municipal Officials on November 26, 9:00 - 11:30 am. Presented by Manitoba Municipal Relations

Online Registration opens October 4 to November 16!

## **Classified Ads**

Buy and sell your municipal equipment!

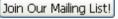
Post your ad here.

## Job Postings

Post your municipal job <u>here</u>.

## Stay Connected







### Register for our upcoming webinars on running for local office

The 2018 municipal elections are an opportunity for more women candidates to enter municipal politics.

## Join our **Diverse Voices**

for Change initiative's upcoming webinar series to learn all about running for local office.

This three-webinar series features experts and women who are in elected office as well as examples of what municipalities across Canada are doing to held until August 24th at the price of \$169 Canadian. After Aug 24th we can't guarantee availability or price. Contact the hotel at (204) 942-8251

#### **Poster Session:**

If you want to display a poster at the workshop, contact fiona.ross@gov.mb.ca

## **Student Presentations:**

We encourage students to take advantage of this opportunity to present your results to an interested audience of future colleagues. Presentations should be 10-20 minutes long. Contact fiona.ross@gov.mb.ca if you are interested in having your presentation added to the agenda.

We look forward to seeing you in Winnipeg!

FCM's Green Municipal Fund delivers results and builds capacity

FCM's Green Municipal Fund (GMF) 2017-2018 Annual Report shows how GMF helps cities and communities of all sizes across Canada reach their sustainability goals, enhance the quality of life of their residents, and provide cleaner air, water and land. Learn how GMF supports municipalities through funding, training, knowledgesharing and more. <u>Read the annual report</u>

## Have your say: FCM member survey

As an FCM member, your voice matters. That's especially true today as we develop FCM's strategic plan for the next five years. We have been engaging board members, many stakeholders and hundreds of members across Canada. Now we're conducting an online consultation and opening it up to all members. How is FCM doing? Where do you think we should be heading? This is your FCM. Please take a few minutes to share your views and your ideas

# Trading Company

Time is running out to order election supplies! The general municipal and school board election is **Wednesday, October 24, 2018**.

Please note this is an updated order form!

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